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THE BENSON SURVEY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) (ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

JUNEAU (Wis.,) Aug. 30.—Ex-Commissioner of the General Land Office
Lamoreaux, who was charged with attempting fraud in connection with the land surveys of California known as the Benson surveys, has come out with a denial of the charges. He says, in closing:

the Benson surveys, has contended to the definition of the charges. He says, in closing:

"It is the duty of the accounts division of the General Land Office to submit to the secretary an estimate of what it would cost to pay for the surveys if they were found correct. This the accounts division did. They submitted an estimate of \$32,000. The secretary sent for me, and we talked the matter over. He said it was near the close of the administration, and he thought that Judge McKenna of California would be Secretary of the Interior. So the estimate was not submitted to Congress, although the surveys were aproved by the Surveyor-General of California."

The says, in a dustablic to the multi-millionaire of Philadelphia, founder of Girard College.

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### GIRARD'S DESCENDANT.

Ex-Commissioner Lamoreaux and Singular Statement of Mrs. Singles of Kansas City, Mo. (ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

## Play Labored Tunes to St. Louis Ladies.

Sovereign Crank Pumps Wind With Much Heat.

Coffins, Nails, Wheels, Single Tax and Other Things.

Breweries-Wrangle Over What Shall Be Done-Ratchford Wants Another Session of Congress.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) ST. LOUIS (Mo.,) Aug. 30.-Less than one thousand people, among whom were a large number of ladies, assem-bled in Masonic Hall tonight to listen to addresses by prominent labor leaders brought to the city by the confer ers brought to the city by the confer-ence. There was much enthusiasm shown. When it became known that Eugene V. Debs, president of the Su-cial Democracy, would not speak there were signs of disapproval and loud cries for that noted leader. On the stage were a number of the most notable of the delegates to the

conference, among them being James conterence, among them being James R. Sovereign, grand master workman of the Knights of Labor; M. D. Ratchford, president of the National Mine Workers' Union; G. C. Clemens, the Populist leader, of Topeka, Kan.; W. D. Mahon, president of the Street Railwaymen's Union; John Lloyd of Chicago, a representative of Debs's Social cago, a representative of Debs's Social

Democracy, and Frank Stevens of the Delaware Single Tax League. Grand Master Workman Sovereign, who presided, made an impassioned address, in which he said that the laboring men of this country were face to face with the last great problem of civilization—their rights and liberty of free speech. He predicted that the conference would result in the issuance of an edict that would lead to a new era of liberty to the laboring classes of America.

of America.

The presiding officer then called for Eugene V. Debs, and John F. Kelly announced that the Social Democracy leader was busy with the Committee on Resolutions and could not attend the meeting. He sent word, however, that after the presentation of the report of the committee, he would make an expression of his views on the question before the conference.

John W. Lloyd of Chicago spoke in his stead. He said the injunction was the last nall in the coffin of freedom and justice, and predicted that there would never be an effective strake until every wheel of industry of the country was stopped.

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Among the other speakers were Frank Stevens, who said that the only

solution of the quescon was single tax; W. D. Mahon, G. C. Clemens and M. D. Ratchford, who was the last on the

LABOR CONFERENCE.

Hitch at the Opening-Head Jaw smiths in Attendance.

mittee of Arrangements called the con-ference to order at 10 o'clock, but only about one hundred people were then in the hall, and as there seemed to be e misunderstanding as to the time

in the hall, and as there seemed to be some misunderstanding as to the time and place of meeting, a recess was taken for one hour, and the committee appointed to make the rounds of hotels and notify delegates.

Shortly after 11 o'clock the conference was again called to order and W. B. Prescott, president of the National Typographical Union, of Indianapolis, was chosen temporary chairman, and W. C. Pearce of Columbus secretary. After appointing a Committee on Credentials the conference adjourned until 2 o'clock. A wrangle ensued upon the motion of a delegate that a Committee on Resolutions be appointed, and in the midst of the parliamentary wrangle Delegate Sovereign shouted: "I'm sick and tired of resolutions. This is the time for action." He moved to amend the motion to appoint a Committee on Resolutions to read: "On Resolutions and Plan of Action." The whole matter was finally tabled.

AFTERNOON PROCEEDINGS.

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bling of the conference for its after noon session. It was shown that eighty-eight delegates, representing the following organizations, were pres-ent: United Mine Workers of America, Social Democracy, the American Federation of Labor, the Stonemakers' International Union Processing eration of Labor, the Stonemakers' International Union, Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators, Brotherhood of Bottle-blowers, Building Trades Council of St. Louis, the Patriots of America, the Brotherhood of Track Foremen, the Single Tax League of America, Central Labor Council of Cincinnati, the International Typographical Union, the People's party of Kansas and the Industrial Order of Freedmen.

men.

The report, after some discussion, was adopted. It was decided, however, that delegates be recognized as coming from the particular organization which they represented instead of the general body. The general report showed also the presence of one woman delegate, Mrs. Mary Jones of Chicago, who represents the Social Democracy. The temporary organization was then made permanent and the chairman read the call for the convention.

It was moved and seconded that a committee on resolutions be made up, consisting of one member from each

organization named, each delegation to choose their member. This was amended by Delegate Stephens of Philadelphia to read "and plan of action." Mr. Mahon of Detroit objected to this committee as unwieldy, and said he was perfectly satisfied to leave the matter of resolutions to a committee of five to be selected by the chair. He amended the resolution to that effect. Mr. Mahon's amendment was carried on a division, as was the amendment of Mr. Stephens. The chairman then named as the Committee on Resolutions and Plate of Action, W. G. Pearce of the miner W. D. Mahon of the street-railroad men, Victor Berger of Milwaukee, who represents the Social Democracy, in whose favor Debs declined; G. C. Clemens of Topeka, representing the Populists, and James R. Sovereign.

Ratchford then took the floor. He went over the miners' strike from its inception to the present day, and dwelt

went over the miners' strike from its inception to the present day, and dwelt Inception to the present day, and dwelt particularly upon "government by injunction." He pleaded for prompt action, and coming to the point of his argument, advocated a special session of Congress as the best and, in fact, the only relief.

Sovereign put himself on record as opposed to Ratchford's plan. He believed this would be the last convention to be held under present conditions, and that the crucial test now confronted organized labor.

At midnight the committee went into session at the Laclede in an endeavor to prepare something tenable to report tomorrow.

A FOREGONE CONCLUSION. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT ST. LOUIS (Mo.,) Aug. 30 .- The con-

ST. LOUIS (Mo.,) Aug. 30.—The conference of labor leaders which began this morning had a busy day, and tonight the end is in sight. What the conference has accomplished, if anything, is in doubt. It is not believed the leaders have attained any definite result, and, in fact, according to the president of one of the national organizations, the failure of the conference was a foregone conclusion.

"I should feel very much chagrined," said this gentleman, "if I had any part in the convention or this conference."

The Committee on Resolutions and Plan of Action was at work all afternoon and tonight, and this evening Sovereign announced that it had formulated a plan, but declined to give any details. The platform, it is expected, will be submitted to the convention tomorrow morning. The fourten of the convention tomorrow morning. vention tomorrow morning. The four-teen different organizations represented

vention tomorrow morning. The fourteen different organizations represented
in the convention make an unwieldy
body, and it is evident that all of them
cannot be satisfied with a platform
formulated by five men representing as
many branches of organized labor.
Ratchford's plan of petitioning President McKinley to convene Congress
in extra session to enact measures
providing for the settlement of the
present labor difficulties, or, as he put
it, "to define the rights of citizens, if
any," did not meet with the approval
he had hoped for, and it is not believed that the plank will be incorporated in the platform.

Although present in the convention
all day, Debs did not speak, nor did he
put in an appearance at tonight's
mass-meeting, where he was widely advertised to make an address. He is
represented on the Resolutions Committee, however, by Mr. Berger, and as
he has remained pretty close to the
gentlemen composing that committee,
it is safe to say his "Social Democracy"
idea will be represented.

It is thought adjournment will be
reached some time tomorrow.

DEBSY IS TALKING.

ASSCIATED DESS MULLEY MERCEL

DEBSY IS TALKING. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) DENVER, Aug. 30.—A special to the News from Terre Haute, Ind., says Eugene V. Debs left for St. Louis to-Eugene V. Debs left for St. Louis to-night to attend the conference called by the National Executive Board of National Mine Workers. He says there has been a remarkable change in public sentiment on the injunction question; that, whereas three years ago there was hardly any dissent from the course of judges who were issuing restraining orders against the strikers, the preponderance of sentiment now is in opposition.

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We ton. A good miner can make \$1 a day, and is allowed to work two or three days each week. They are compelled to trade at company stores, and 'the prices they pay are left entirely to the mine operators. The miners admit that they cannot live on the present scale of wages."

scale of wages."

A large subscription to the relief fund was raised. SETTLEMENT PROBABLE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
CLEVELAND (0.) Aug. 20.—A
prominent coal operator in the Pittsburgh district said tonight that the miners' strike would be probably set-tled, temporarily at least, within the next forty-eight hours.

WAITING ON DOLAN.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) PITTSBURGH, Aug. 30 .- The situa tion in this district may be said to be in a muddle. It is known that when President Dolan left for the St. Louis convention he was the bearer of an important proposition to be submitted to President Ratchford which asks the privilege of starting some of the mines. It has the sanction of the district officials, and only needs the consent of the higher officials.

CITIZENS' UNION.

Their Leader is Seth Lowe-Their

War Cry Home Rule.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) NEW YORK, Aug. 30 .- The Executice Committee of the Citizens' Union decided at a meeting tonight to stand alone with Seth Low and no other as its candidate for Mayor of Greater New York. Home rule is what is desired, and State and national issues are to

reply sent by Chairman James B. Reynolds of the Union to Lemuel E. Quigg of the Republican County Committee to the invitation of a conference of anti-Tammany organizations.

## Secretary Gage Found it in the Tariff.

Sweeping Blow Against European Steamship Lines.

All Goods Imported in Foreign Vessels from Ports not Exempt by Treaty Stipulations May also Be Taxed the Ten Per Cent.

The Scope of the Discriminating

Duty Widened.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.-\*Involved in the question of the interpretation of section 22 of the new tariff with regard to the 10-per-cent, discriminating duty on foreign goods coming into the United States from Canada or Mexico, which is now before the Attorney-Gen-eral for decision, is another question of equal, if not greater magnitude This other question has almost entirely escaped public notice, but it is giving the Treasury Department great con-cern. It was referred to the Attorney

General by Secretary Gage for interpretation along with the other feature of section 22 which are in controversy. It involves the question of whether this discriminating duty of 10 per cent does not apply to all goods imported in foreign vessels landing at United States ports which are not exempt from discriminating tonnage taxes by express treaty stipulation. The question arises from another

slight deviation from the language of previous provisions in section 22, which, if made intentionally, would seem to indicate that it was designed to discriminate against three-fourths of all the big transatiantic and trans-pacific steamship lines, as well as many of the South American lines.

In all previous laws, the section cor-responding to section 22 of the new responding to section 22 of the new law, after providing for the 10 per cent. discriminating duty on goods im-ported in vessels not flying the United States flag, provides "that this dis-criminating duty shall not apply to goods, wares or merchandise which shall be imported in vessels not of the United States entitled at the time of such importation by treaty or act of Congress to be entered in ports of the United States, or the payment of the same duties as shall then be payable on goods etc., imported in vessels of the United States."

The new law omits "acts of Congress and substitues "convention," so as to make it read not exempt by "treaty

It is in pursuance of an act of Congress (section 4228) that Presidents in the past have by proclamation exempted vessels of many countries from this discriminating duty. The question now before the Attorney-General is whether the omission of the words "act of Congress" does not repeal section 4228. If it does it will strike a tremendous blow at all foreign lines now exempt by Presidential precidential conditions and to that end has placed supplies at several sub-treasuries, New Orleans, Chicago, St. Louis and Cincinnati, in order that transfers may be made as quickly as possible. It is in pursuance of an act of Conexempt by Presidential proclamation, and confine the exemption strictly to the vessels of countries with which we have treaties granting such exemp-

The vessels of countries which would that is, countries with which we have

Southern California-Page 9.

Hobos invade San Bernardino ....

men have a real battle at Pasadena.

starwing miners in Indiana .... Luetgert

murder trial begun at Chicago-A body

boiled....Deputies ambushed by Arkan-

attack convoys .... Peru will meet with

a crisis in adopting the gold standard

....Railroad rates and letter-carriers

muddled....Banderas and forces make

a sensational march through Cuba ....

President McKinley has important

army and navy patronage to dispense

Mrs. John Drew, the actress dying.

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don, and other places.

steamship lines .... Jawsmiths in con- of Chinese.

ference at St. Louis-Relief work for By Cable-Pages 1, 2, 3.

General Eastern-Pages 1, 2, 3.

Russia and Turkey. Several of those countries have no merchant marine sail to American ports. The countries now enjoying exemption from discrim inating duties, either wholly or in part under proclamations issued in pursu-ance of section 4228 of the Revised Statutes, are Great Britain, Spain, Portugal, Japan, Nicaragua and Mex-

Of course, the largest class of ves-Of course, the largest class of vessels which might be affected are the English lines, which come to the United States not only from British ports, but from the oriental countries. India, South America, and, in fact, from every country on the globe. If British vessels should be thrown back upon their treaty exemptions which are contained in the treaty of Washington, the goods of all British vessels sailing from other ports except the territorial possessions in Europe would have to pay the additional 10-per-cent. tax.

tional 10-per-cent. tax.

More than that, all goods shipped in British vessels, not the product or manufacture of Great Britain's European possessions, even though shipped from English, Scotch or Irish ports, would be subject to the discriminating duty. An adverse decision would there-fore affect the Cunard, Anchor, Arrow Transatlantic and other transatlantic lines to that extent; the French line, the Phelps line running to Mediter-ropean ports; the two Portuguese freight lines (except products of Portugal,) several of the South American lines, including what are known as the Green line of steamers, the Japanese, the Canadian Pacific and the Oriental and Occidental steamers on the Pacific, beside hundreds of tramp steamers.

### DR. BRECK'S BODY.

Benicia Church People Will Give Up Except for Money. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

MILWAUKEE (Wis.,) Aug. 30.—The vestry of the church of Benicia, Cal., where the remains of Rev. Dr. James Lloyd Breck are interred, have refused to allow the remains to be removed to Nashotah, Wis., unless there is a money consideration for the care of the grave Dr. Breck was one of the most noted missionaries in this country. In his will he directed that his remains be will he directed that his remains be burled in the chancel of a church to be built at Benicia, Cal. It is claimed that this church has never been built; that only a temporary structure on posts was erected, and that the grave has never been properly cared for. The consent of the relatives of Dr. Breck has not only been obtained, but his sons, who reside in California, have asked Bishop Nicholson to receive the remains and inter them at Nashotah. Bishop Nicholson of this city says that no money will be paid, and that the remains of the venerable missionary will be interred at Nashotah during the Missionary Council convention.

CURRENCY SHIPMENTS. The South and West Needs Mone

for Moving Crops.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The sub-treasury here today transferred for local banks through the treasury at Washington \$100,000 in currency to Kansas City and \$25,000 in silver dellars to Texas through the sub-treasury at New Orleans. Shipments of currency to the South and West today by banks direct were very large, all banks reporting the receipt of orders for remittances.

mittances.

Fatal Fire in Venice

VENICE, Aug. 30.—A great fire oc-curred near the center of the city to-day, and it is believed that nine mer burned to death, and that their bodies are buried in the debris

Fund for Famine Sufferers treaties covering this specific subject, are Sweden, Germany, Austria, Brazil, Belguim, Denmark, Italy, Greece, Chile, Argentina, Hayti, Hawaii, Holland, contributed was \$179,161. OTTAWA (Ont.,) Aug. 30.—The fund

Tacoma man writes from the North

Craven case .... San Francisco immi-

gration officers in a quandary .... Scho-

forest fires will be undertaken ... Fruit-

growers made happy by good prices...

Tribesmen burn the Shinwasa and

Kahi police posts-Kahal Pass closed

.... Two people killed and fourteen in-

.... Greece and the peace indemnity ....

The Czar to discontinue exile to Si-

beria....Fire at Venice....Japan and

Portugal conclude a treaty....The

Grain easy at Liverpool .... Wheat

New York stocks and bonds....London

Spanish reserves to be called out.

Points of the News in Today's Times.

by a victim....Boiler Inspector Church Fork of the MacMillan River to say

and his deputy dismissed....The tax it's richer than Klondyke-Jam on

rate fixed....Finance committee's rec- Skaguay trail reported broken-Vigi-

ommendations to the Council .... Capi- lantes kill a man for stealing a sack

talist Griffith's tale of woe .... Insolvent of flour-Expedition to Copper River.

Bishop may go to Klondyke .... South- Budd says he is still Governor of Cal-

ern Pacific may resume burning oil.... ifornia.... Efforts of the defense to es-

Board of Education meeting more tablish the suicide theory in Hoffman's

trouble in the electric company's office. case....Swindling developments in the

Forest fire raging in the Verdugo field-Dutcher trial set for October

Hills....A Pasadena runaway with a 11....Rev. Dr. Sexton dead at Vaca-

heroine .... A Riverside bicyclist makes ville .... Fresno county and the Board of

a record-breaking run....The Apaches Equalization....Deaf-mute passes an

take Redondo....Boys nearly wreck a examination in law....Steamer P. B.

train near Santa Ana....Points and Weare tied up....Clean-up at Cari-

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Mammoth bug in the Tariff Bill- California cyclers control the North The 10-per-cent. discriminating duty west .... Whittier escape found in Ven-

may be a terrific blow at foreign tura county.... Warrants for smugglers

sas moonshiners....Brazilian fanatics jured in a German railroad accident

... Six men probably massacred in firm at San Francisco.... Receipts of Pope county, Ark., by moonshiners.... produce.... California dried fruits....

Story of the lead nugget swindle told Pacific Const—Pages 1, 2, 3.

Manager Charles H. Hamilton of the to leak badly, and the Weare was at

SKAGUAY JAM.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) SEATTLE, Aug. 30.—The following etter was received per steamer Utopia today by the Associated Press:

broken on the Skaguay trail. A num-ber of outfits have gotten over, and there is a steady stream of moving humanity mixed up in an almost in-describable mass of horses of all sizes, ages and conditions, mules, steers, milch cows, goats and dogs, also vemilch cows, goats and dogs, also vehicles of every description and kind to be imagined. Three steamers are now unloading on lighters, which convey the freight as near the shore as possible, where it is loaded on wagons

pile-drivers are at work on another dock, which is expected to be a subdock, which is expected to be a sub-stantial affair. A new sawmill got up steam for the first time this morning. Rough lumber is worth \$27 per thous-and, but cannot be got fast enough

Rough lumber is worth \$27 per thousand, but cannot be got fast enough at any price.

"The city of tents is not being displaced, but reinforced by a city of shacks' of all sizes and degrees of finish. Skaguay is the boom town of Alaska. Every man whose heart failed him when he encountered the first hardship has turned townsite boomer. Four weeks ago Skaguay was not known; today there are not less than 3000 people here in addition to those on the ships in the harbor. They have surveyed off the townsite, the first-comers having first choice. The United States Commissioner is issuing some kind of a certificate, fee \$5, surveyors another, \$5; then the squatter sticks up his tent, shack, or corral and is ready to skin the first tenderfoot that comes along. Transfers by quit claim are quite common, and as high as \$200 has been paid for a choice location.

"Skaguay has all the usual accommaniment of a frontier mining town. Dance-halls and scarlet women, roulette, faro, stud poker and craps find devotees ready to tempt fickle fortune's smiles.

"There is no danger of a famine

## More Fabulous Riches Discovered.

### North Fork of the MacMillan River Sampled-

Tacoma Man Says It's Richer Than Klondyke.

Vigilantes Shoot a Thief-Expedition to Cooper River-Jam on Skag-uny Trail Now Reported Broken.

A Utopian Letter. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

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TACOMA (Wash...) Aug. 30.—A letter to the Ledger has just been received from the North Fork of the MacMillan River, Aalska, from George Lemmon, addressed to his wife in South Tacoma, giving particulars of a fabulously-rich strike on this tributary of the MacMillan River. He and his partner went there from the Yukon on information from an Indian who accompanied them last spring, and he says that they last spring, and he says that they have struck a locality richer than the Klondyke. In three months they have made a clean-up of \$55,000. He says they have a large bucket and a beanthey have a large bucket and a bean-can full of nuggets, and although they have no scales they believe it will read the amount named. They have staked off five claims, and he tells his wife to send up four friends, whom he designates, as quickly as possible to locate the adjoining properties, the law being that one man can locate only on claim.

The letter was sent down by the Indian, who took \$500 or \$600 worth of nuggets to lay in a fresh supply for the winter. Lemmon says he will not be out before next summer, and thinks his friends can reach there by the middle of October over the Chilcoot Pass. MacMillan River is between two hundred and three hundred miles south of the Klondyke, and until lately has been

the klondyke, and until lately has been an unexplored region.

He expresses fear of scurvy breaking out this winter unless they can get some green vegetables in, but he adds that nothing would induce him to leave the diggings until next year, as by that time they are confident of having several hundred thousand dollars. eral hundred thousand dollars.

COPPER RIVER EXPEDITION. COPPER RIVER EXPEDITION.
SEATTLE, Aug. 30.—The latest expedition from Seattle in search of gold will turn its attention to Copper River.
Today Frank Porter of New York, Jack Moore and W. H. Hamilton, both of Philadelphia, purchased the sloop Trixty T. and will sail next week for the Copper River. They take provisions for one year, and will confine their efforts to discovering placer claims.

THE P. B. WEARE.

Missing Seamer Tied Up Repairing Her Boiler Flues.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SEATTLE, Aug. 30.—Anxiety as to the fate of the Yukon River steamer P. B. Weare is set at rest by Traffic North American Transportation Com-pany, who stated today that he had advices that the Weare was tied up near Circle City, repairing her boiler flues. "Shortly after leaving Circle City," he said today, "the flues began once tied up. A new set of flues is be-ing put in, and in two weeks the Weare will resume her voyage down the river. I am sending north a com-plete new set of boilers for the Weare next spring, as the ones she has are

Humanity, Horses and Other Cattle

"SKAGUAY, Aug. 23 .- The jam is

or carried over high tide.
"The Utopia is unloading at the only wharf—a very shaky structure. Two

At Large—Pages 1, 2, 3.

Dispatches were also received from Boston, St. Paul, Lawrence, Mass.; Anaconda, Washington, Denver, Chicago, San Francisco, New York, London, and other places.

financial market....San Francisco and local produce.

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—For as if conjured by some enchanter here abounds. Great piles of hay, grain, flour, bacon, sugar and all the necessaries are in stock apparently for some financial market .... San Francisco and

time to come. There are not less than

time to come. There are not less than 2000 horses at work on the Skaguay trail, but it is hard to get anyone to contract to deliver you over the summit—at any price—but you can get over for about 30 cents a pound if you are willing to wait and contract by sections. The packers at this end of the trail do not like to contract farther than the first hill, six miles out; then one has to hire another outfit.

"At Dyea, the Indians are moving the freight in an almost unbroken stream from the landing to Lake Linderman, and it is no trouble to contract to get one's entire outfit put over at one trip for 30 to 35 cents a pound, No one should come expecting to get over this fall for a less rate, and no one should bring boats. There are boats, set up, knocked down in sections and single boards on both trails from landing to base of summit, but not one has yet been taken over.

ONLY THREE CROSSED.

VICTORIA (B. C.,) Aug. 30.—Of all

VICTORIA (B. C.) Aug. 30.—Of all the men heard of on the Skaguay trail, and a very large number of lettrail, and a very large number of rec-ters were received today, only three, and they had lighter outfits than the most of the parties, got their goods through to the lakes, and are ready to sail down the river to the Klondyke. Six thousand or more are camped at Skaguay, or are fighting their way across, with very poor chances of success in most cases.

### SHOT BY VIGILANTES.

Unknown Man Killed for Stealing a Sack of Flour. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) SEATTLE (Wash.,) Aug. 30.—An unknown man has been shot on the Skag-uay trail by a committee of vigilantes, and his bones are now rotting beneath a pile of rocks within a few rods of the ass. This news was brought down by the steamer Utopia, which arrived this morning at 3 o'clock from Skaguay. The story in general is all that can The story in general is all that can be learned, the details being unknown among the Utopia's six passengers.

Some time ago a sack of flour was stolen. Suspicion pointed to a man who was encamped near the summit.

stolen. Suspicion pointed to a man who was encamped near the summit. A committee of six was chosen to ferret out and punish the thief. The men went to the tent of the suspected man and found the missing sack. The man begged for mercy, but the committee, satisfied of his guilt, decreed that he be immediately killed. The man was dragged from the tent and tied upright to a pole. The committee stood off a short distance and at a word shot together. The thief's body was pierced in six places.

Feeling their duty done and sick of their task, the vigilantes left at once, not even waiting to put the bleeding form beneath the ground. For three days it hung therein full view of those passing with their packs. The odoremanating from the decaying body became so offensive that two men cut it loose and, carrying it up a hillside, covered it with a pile of stones, and even that did not suffice to quench the stench which infected the atmosphere. The Utcpia left Skaguay August 12.

The steamer Detroit sailed for Dyea and Skaguay this afternoon with forty passengers.

MORE FRONTIER JUSTICE. VICTORIA (B. C.,) Aug. 30,--An evidence of how the law is administered evidence of how the law is administered in the Yukon country is given in a letter received here. A packer named Rice contracted to take a man's outfit over the Skaguay trail, if the man went to work on the trail. The men went to work, but when it was finished Rice refused to fulfill his contract. When Rice's train reached the summit with a load, it was seized by the mounted poice and a Vigilance Committee, and was unloaded. Rice will not be allowed to do any packing until he fulfills his contract with the

will not be allowed to do any packing until he fulfills his contract with the man who worked on the trail.

A letter received from Skaguay states that an Indian who came out from the Yukon had reported that a boiler explosion had occurred on one of the steamers going up the Yukon with a cargo of provisions. Mr. Peterson, who came out from Dawson, says he also heard the report, but does not credit it, as nothing of the kind had occurred up to July 28, when Shelp and his party, the very last ones to leave, left Dawson City.

NEW STEAMBOAT SERVICE

NEW STEAMBOAT SERVICE. WASHINGTON, Aug. 30 .- A new steamboat mail service between Juneau and Dyea, Alaska, the first stretch on and Dyea, Alaska, the first stretch on the overland trail to the Klondyke region, was announced by the Postoffice Department today. It provides for the dispatch of the mails from Juneau twice a month, immediately after the arrival of the mail steamer from Seattle, and arriving at Dyea in twelve hours. Mails will leave Dyea twice a month, within about twelve hours after arrival from Juneau, or in time to connect with mails at Juneau for Seattle.

CARIBOO CLEAN-UP. VANCOUVER (B C.,) Aug. 30 telegram was received yesterday from the superintendent of the Cariboo Hydraulic Mining Company, stating that as the result of the clean-up which was completed on the 26th inst., the amalgam amounts to 5685 ounces of the estimated value of \$60,500. This is the proceeds of forty-seven days of washing with two giants. It is thought that the total clean-up for the season will amount to not more than \$150,000.

## Carpenter McNeil Gives an Object

Lesson at Stockton.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) STOCKTON, Aug. 30.—A carpenter of this city named McNeil has just returned from Trinity county and confirms the reports of the great fake perpetrated on the people, and the stories of the indignation of those who were deluded by the glowing newspa-per accounts into going to that region. McNeil exhibited to a friend some quartz which he took out of the Graves brothers mine, and which contains

### LIABLE FOR DAMAGES.

very little, if any, gold.

United States. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
HALIFAX (N. S.,) Aug. 30.—Mr.

Belque opened his argument today be-fore the Bering Sea Commission, speaking to the question of the scope of the convention. He referred to the seizure of British vessels, the impris-onment of their crews and the hard-ship to these men by the United States.

snip to these men by the United States. The cases brought before the Paris tribunal, he said, were decided against the United States on several points.

Mr. Belque took issue in certain respects with the statement of the United States brief that the scope of the convention was limited by its own statements. The speaker contended that the United States was liable by that the United States was liable, by the decision of the Paris tribunal, for all damages caused by the claim of that country to control over fur seals.

A Dominion Bank Robbed.

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TAPANEE (Ont.,) Aug. 30.—Some dime Friday night the branch of the Dominion Bank here was entered by nurgiars and \$32,000 in stocks and cash taken from the vault. When the officials tried the vault Saturday morning they could not work it, and an expert was sent for. It was not until Saturday night that the expert got through with the work and the discovery was then made of the robbery.

DEFENSE EXPERIMENTS IN THE LUETGERT CASE. ,

Result is Declared to Have Done Away With the Contention of the Prosecution.

SAUSAGE-MAN'S TRIAL OPENS

LUETGERT PRESENT IN COURT AND LOOKING WELL.

Statement of Assistant State's Attorney McEwen-The Woman Last Seen Alive Near the Factory.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—The trial of Adolph Luetgert began in earnest today, the preliminary work of securing ridors of the court were thronged with people anxious to gain admittance Contrary to the expectation of the State, the jury will be asked by the de fense to witness an experiment in the vat in the basement of the sausage factory, this to be the result of an exriment conducted by Luetgert's at torneys Saturday and vesterday. The body of a man about Mrs. Luetgert's age and weight, who met death by violence Thursday, was taken to the factory at No. 607 Diversy avenue and immersed in a solution of caustic potash. The result exceeded the expectations. The experts reported that after boiling the body in a 15-per-cent. of time, three and one-half hours, and under the same circumstances as the State alleges Luetgert disintegrated the body of his wife, the complete skeleton of the cadaver remained intact and the solution had but little effect

upon the clothing.

As a result of the test, the defense will, it is said, ask Judge Tuthill to remove the court and jury to the base-ment of the big sausage factory for a ew hours and witness another experi nent, which the defense claims completely disprove the State's theory of disintegration

Luetgert was calm and composed when brought into court, and had ap-parently been greatly refreshed by Sunday's respite from the daily courtroom ordeal. Assistant State's Attorney McEwen formally opened the case for the State. On the wall close to the jury box hung large maps of the Luet-gert sausage factory, the Luetgert home and all surrounding the place where, it is charged, the prisoner killed his wife and then destroyed the body. The attorney for the State began with the disappearance of Mrs. Luetger May 1, and next described the visit, May 4, of Dietrich Bicknesse, brother Luetgert, who called to see sister and discovered that she had dis difference of the husband and statement that he had not informed th police, but had hired two detectives and the invitation to Bicknesse to cal again in about a week, when he would tell him if anything had been discovered concerning the whereabouts of his

Attorney McEwen told the jury that two detectives to search for his wife would be proven false. He said the theory of the State was that Mrs. Luetgert accompanied her husband in the factory. About 10:30 o'clock their lit-tile son Louis returned from the city and saw her sitting in the kitchen The conversation of the boy with his mother was interrupted by Luetgert, who came in and ordered the boy to who came in and ordered the boy to bed. Before going to sleep the boy heard his father descending the back stairs toward the factory, where he had slept for years. The theory of the State is that Mrs. Luetgert descended the stairs at the same time and went to the factory. The boy did not heat the steps because she wore house slippers which made no noise. Luetger and wife were seen in the alley in the rear of the house a few minutes later. They were seen going through the gate which led to no place except the factory.

tory.
The attorney for the State then detailed the movements at the Luetgert factory, the turning on of the steam to the vat and the sending of Watch-

factory, the turning on of the steam to the vat and the sending of Watchman, Bailk, shortly after, to the drugstore, all of which kept him out of the factory for an hour an a half. He was away when Mrs. Luetgert was last seen alive in the alley.

The alleged motive and operating reason which actuated Luetgert according to the theory of the State was then described. McEwen said Luetgert despised his wife. He had threatened her with violence, as evidence for the State would show. He had no affection for her, and lived alone in the factory, where, the attorney said, he had been visited by other women.

Ex-Judge Vincent objected to this statement, but Judge Tuthill overruled the objection. McEwen said a witness would testify that he saw Luetgert choke his wife once. She said: "You need not kill me, as you did that man, for I have no money." This caused Luetgert to say that she would not be allowed to betray, him.

Ex-Judge Vincent objected to this statement as foreign to the case, and not proper evidence, but was overruled by the court. When McEwen concluded, Attorney Vincent was announced. He said that no opening address would be made at present for the defense. The first witness was then called, W. H. Haafe of the city map department, who testified to the correctness of the drawings being used by the prosecution.

AFTERNOON PROCEEDINGS

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Two witnesses were examined this afternoon, Diedrich Bicknesse, brother of Mrs. Luetgert, and Louis Luetgert, the twelve-year-old son of che accused. The testimony of Bicknesse tended in the main to show the alleged indifference of Luetgert to the fate of his wife, and the alleged indisposition to report the matter of her disappearance to the police department.

Louis Luetgert, who is a remarkably bright lad for his age, produced something of a sensation in concluding his testimony, and it is believed he caused the counsel for the prosecution to regret having placed him on the stand. The boy has already been examined twice as to his knowledge of his mother's disappearance, and in neither case did he refer to having heard his mother about the house after he had been sent to bed. Today he recounted how he had gone to a circus on the evening of his mother's disappearance. He returned about 10:30 o'clock, and found his mother, to whom he described what he had seen at the circus. While engaged in this conversation, he said, his father entered the room and ordered him to bed. Later, he said, he heard his father descending the rear stairway in the direction of the sausage factory.

This portion of his testimony was identical with that given at the preliminary, and the had been askep for a long time, he was suddenly awak-Two witnesses were examined this

ened by hearing a rustling of skirts in his bedroom. He called out: "Is that you father," but his mother's voice replied: "No, it is me."

The lad declared that he was sure that it was his mother's voice which replied to his query, and he soon went to sleep. The State's attorney asked Louis why he had not told this part of his testimony before, and he replied that no one had asked him if he had seen his mother after returning.

The court adjourned for the day, the defense refusing to cross-examine the boy.

### A PRETTY MUDDLE.

RAILROAD RATES AND LETTER

The Rock Island Road Cuts the Round-trip Rate Fixed by Other Lines - The, Postmaster-Genera Says the Convention Must Mee

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—The western coads have got into a sad tangle over rates from this city to San Francisco, on account of the letter-carriers' con-vention which was to have been held there next month. Last Saturday all ines cut the round-trip rate to \$72.50, and today the Rock Island announced that it would put in a round-trip rate

The letter-carriers are also in a fight The excursion committee insists that the convention shall be held at San Francisco, as originally planned, while the president of the association says it shall convene in Chicago. Late today that the convention must be held in this city. The Rock Island says it reduced its rates at the suggestion of the Southern Pacific, but that it will cancel the same if the convention takes

GRAND ARMY TICKETS. CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—The chairman of the Western Passenger Association has scovered that return portions of Grand Army tickets reading west of Chicago are being presented with a rub-ber stamp indorsement on the back as follows: "Good to return before Sep-tember 1, without signature." The intember 1, without signature." The indorsement bears no signature, and is
spelled incorrectly. The tickets have
not been executed at Buffalo, and are
beileved to be the work of brokers.
Chairman Caldwell has advised all lines
of the association to refuse to honor
the bogus tickets.

THE SECRETARYS TELEGRAM

THE SECRETARY'S TELEGRAM. SAN FRANCISCO, August 30.—Thoustion as to where the letter-car riers' national convention is to be held riers' national convention is to be held appears to have been finally settled in favor of this city. John F. Victory, national secretary of the association, telegraphed last night: "The convention will surely meet in San Francisco. Hold all mail and express matter." The local committee is continuing its preparation for the reception of delegates.

SEWED UP THE BREACHES. CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—The threatened creach between President Parsons and breach between President Parsons and the Executive Committee of the National Letter-Carriers' Association was closed this evening. M. A. Fitzgerald of New York was present to explain the president's action in changing the location of the convention from San Francisco to Chicago as merely a ruse to make the railroads lower the rate. As a result President Worthington of the Chicago branch was able to announce a rate of \$62, which is below the one first offered by the railroads. The New York delegation will reach the city tomorrow, 550 strong, and delegations from other cities will arrive Wednesday in time for all to leave on a special train Wednesday evening.

### BONES OF EXTINCTS. reasures Which Delight the Soul of New York Naturalists.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) NEW YORK, Aug. 30 .- One hundred uge cases that have just arrived at the Musuem of Natural History in Cenral Park are regarded with more than usual satisfaction by the directors of the museum. They are the bones of the remarkable specimen of extinct anbelow the surface of Wyoming, Nebraska, Colorado and Texas. They are the first consignment of the results of the summer's work of the numerous expeditions sent out by the museum. In these 100 cases there is one perfect specimen of a flying lizard that was twelve feet long. Prof. Mathews said that there were numerous other sections of lizards, but only one complete specimen, which was taken from Kan-sas soil. It belonged to a period of ages before man was dreamed of, and flew like a bat in the night and fed

flew like a bat in the night and fed on fishes.

Phof. Mathew, who had charge of an expedition to Kansas, has just returned. On his way back he got into Wyoming with Prof. Wortmaun's expedition. When that section returns to New York early in October there will be brought along a monster lizard, over fifty feet long. It is being dug out of Wyoming rock. When he left, thirty-five feet of the creature was in sight, and it was estimated that twenty feet more remains to be excavated.

### CRACKING THE "JOINTS."

loons-Booze Runs Free.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) saloons in Kansas City, Kan., were raided by the police this evening, and \$3000 worth of liquors was seized and poured into the gutters. Saloon furniture and fixtures filling ten big drays was seized and carted to police headquarters, where it will be burned

headquarters, where to the tomorrow.

The confiscations are under old injunctions against the "joints" and the proprietors, made permanent many months ago, and the property is to be destroyed without further process of law. Similar action will be taken against some seventy other "joints."

Thinks Andree Will Return.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—E. B. Baldwin, an Arctic explorer of some note, when seen by a reporter in Brooklyn last night, declared his belief that Andree will come back safely from his journey in search of the North Pole. Mr. Baldwin has just returned from Europe, where he talked with leading scientists, all of whom share his belief. Thinks Andree Will Return

American Dynamiters Excluded. AmBURG, Aug. 30.—The agreement arrived at between the leading American dynamite companies and the Nobel trust has been ratified. Its provisions exclude American manufacturers of dynamite from the South African market.

M'PHERSON (Kan.,) Aug. 30.—The First State Bank of this city, of which Senator Royal Matthews is president, failed today with liabilities amounting to \$28,000. The bank is now in charge of Bank Examiner John W. Breiden-thal.

SPORTING RECORD,

### SHARKEY'S RICHNESS

PUGILIST GIVES THE BOYS A "SONG AND DANCE."

Says He Has Made Nearly Sixty Thousand Dollars and Has Put it Almost All Away.

HE EXPECTS TO WHIP MAHER.

IS CONFIDENT OF BECOMING THE WORLD'S CHAMPION.

Occidental Club Secures the Solly Smith-Dixon Contest-Ziegler to Box Connally-Baseball and

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] NEW YORK, Aug. 30.-[Special Dis patch.] Tom Sharkey is, according to his own statement, one of the richest boxers in the world. Sharkey has been in the fighting business four years, and says he has made nearly \$60,000 out of the fights which he has won. including bets. The sailor has save nearly every dollar he ever made out of the business, for he says that when a man is defeated no one is willing to

offer him a dollar.

Sharkey says he has nearly \$40,000 at present in one of the banks in San Francisco. He left for the Pacific Coast Saturday. He intends to remain in San Francisco for some time, and as soon as his finish fight with Maher is arranged, he will start training for the fight just outside of San Francisco.

If these two men ever meet again, the indications are that Sharkey will bet at least \$10,000 that he will defeat Maher. Sharkey is very confident that he will sooner or later become cham-pion of the world. He is not afraid to fight anyone, for he claims that there is not a boxer living who can put him to sleep.

### DOWNED THE LEAGUE.

California Cyclers Control the Situ ation on the Coast.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.-President A. P. Swain of the California Associated Cycling Clubs has arrived from British Columbia, and brings con-firmation of the story that racing throughout the Northwest is now under the control of the association.

With all the tracks in Southern California committed to the association its rule over the racing interests throughout the Pacific Coast is absolute. It is proposed to change the name of the organization, making it more comprehensive with the ultimate idea that the League of American Wheel-men will give up the control of rac-ing rather than clash with the cyclers of Canada.

### EASTERN BASEBALL.

Pop" Anson Spotts a Clean Victory for His Colts.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Anson spoiled clean victory for his Colts today by arging Emslie to call the game at the of the eighth. Emslie's refusal to omply with Anson's request brought forth an epithet from the big captain For this Anson was fined \$25 and put out of the game. Then Everett and Decker commenced an argument with Emslie, and he assessed them \$10 each. With Anson out of the game, the Colts were one man short, and Emslie pulled his clock and called the batter up. Ryan endeavored to bat, but was called from the plate. One minute having expired, and no man coming up, the man who should have faced the pitcher was declared out and play

resumed.

When the trouble arose the score was 7 to 5 in favor of Chicago. They made three more runs in the ninth. When the New Yorks came to bat in their half of the ninth Decker was or first base in place of Anson, and Friend covered left field, his form en-veloped in a regulation Chicago club dressing gown, while on his head was a Chicago cap. The New Yorkers raised objections to the playing of Friend, who, they claimed, was

in uniform. Two men went out in succession Two men went out in succession, and Joyce and Gleason began to protest again. McCreery was instructed not to go to bat, and Emsile called the game, the score reverting to the eighth inning. Sullivan started to pitch, but three home runs and a two-bagger in two innings caused his retirement. Seymour relieved him. Score:

Score:
New York, 5; hase hits, 8; errors, Chicago, 10; base hits, 16; errors, 3 Batteries—Sullivan, Seymour a Warner; Griffin and Kittredge.
Umpires—Emslie and Carpenter.

BALTIMORE-CINCINNATI.

BALTIMORE Aug. 30.—The Cham pions today made it five straight fron Cincinnati. Score: Baltimore, 7; base hits, 14; errors, 3 Cincinnati, 1; base hits, 7; errors, 6 Batteries—Corbett and Robinson Dwyer, Damman and Vaughn. Umpires—Kelly and O'Day.

BOSTON-CLEVELAND. BOSTON, Aug. 30.—Cleveland could not hit Nichols today. Score: Boston, 6; base hits, 12; errors, 2. Cleveland, 2; base hits, 7; errors, 3. Batteries—Nichols and Bergen; Pow-ell and Zimmer. Umpire-Lynch.

### "SCRAP" SCRAPS.

Smith-Dixon Contest. (ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Owen Ziegler, the Philadelphia light-weight. has arrived here with his trainer, Zeke Abram. He is to box twenty rounds with Ed Connolly of New Brunswick

As he was about to leave, he was approached by a member of the firm, who asked if he would kindly sign his name to a memorial of the occasion. before the Knickerbocker Club in Sep President McKinley, good-naturedly consented, and wrote his name underneath what he was led to understand was a short history of the day's events. After the President departed, the real character of the "memorial" was learned. The Occidental Club has secured the Solly Smith-George Dixon contest. Articles will be signed this evening for a twenty-round match for a purse of

luncheon there.

### Yellow Fever at Color

WASHINGTON, Aug. 37.—Dr. Randall, sanitary inspector for the United States Marine Hospital Service at Colon, in the Isthmus of Panama, says, in a report to the surgeon general that the Colombian government is trying to suppress the fact that yellow fever exists there. Dr. Randall says there have been treated at St. Thomas Hospital, Panama, to date, thirty-six cases, with fourteen deaths, and at the French Hospital fifty-eight cases, with twenty-six deaths. Hot Pedaling Being Done in th British Tournament. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) LONDON, Aug. 30.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The bicycle race for the gold vase, which was begun at Catford on Saturday, when A. E. Walters beat Stocks by one mile in six hours' riding, stocks by one mile in six hours' riding, was continued this evening. Tonight Walters did the first thirty-three miles in 1:03:58 3-5, still breaking the world's record and repeatedly lapping stocks. Walters covered sixty miles and seventy-seven yards in 2:00:00, and eighty-eight miles ninety yards in

Premium on Exchange.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 30.—N
York exchange sold at 140 premium
day.

3:00:00. This ended the second stage of the competition. The score for nine hours was: Wal-ters, 251 miles, 1685 yards; Stocks, 246 THE IMPOSSIBLE BRYAN. Arrives Home and Announces His

Tour Was a Triumph. miles, 220 yards.

Walters did not stop at the end of the nine hours, but continued riding in an attempt to break the record for 100 miles, which he succeeded in doing, covering the distance in 3:25:53 3-5. (ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) DENVER (Colo.,) Aug. 30.-A sp ial to the News from Lincoln, Neb.,

says: "Hon. William J. Bryan arrived The journey has consumed three months. He was greeted with great acclaim throughout the State as he approached his journey's end, and his arrival here was the signal for 2000 people to gather at the depot and hurrah for the apostle of bimetallism.

AMATEUR ATHLETES.

Boxing and Wrestling Clubs Ex

cluded from Const Association. (ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Th

Amateur Athletic Association of the

Pacific Coast, recently organized with the Olympic, Acme and Fresno clubs

who are amateurs.

At present all athletic associations

EVERHARDT AND MCPARTLAND.

A "Draw" in Which the "Kid" Die

Most Damage.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

ack Everhardt and Kid McPartland

fought a draw at catch-weights before

the St. Bernard Athletic Club tonight. The arena was not properly constructed to hold the immense crowd which at-

tended, nor was the protection ample

for the mob got beyond control and there was danger of a collapse.

Sheepshead Summaries.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30 .- Results at

Sheepshead Bay:
Five furlongs: Tent Pin won, Attainment second, Harrity third; time

Six furlongs: Trolley won, Break o' Day second, Nana H. third; time

Sapphire stakes, five and a half fur-ongs: The Huguenot won, San Ve-ado second, Cock Robin third; time

Neaper stakes, mile and three-six-enths: Imperator won, Lady Mitch-l second, Partridge third; time 031-5.

2:031-5.

Mile and a furlong: Sir Walter won,
Free Advice second, Ben Brush third;
time 1:551-5.

One mile on turf: Sun Up won.

One mile on turf: Sun Up won, Buckwa second, Bannock third; time 1:414-5.

Woodland Echoes.

Grand Circuit Races. HARTFORD (Ct.,) Aug. 30.—Results of grand circuit races:
The 2:09 class pacing, purse \$2000:
Bumps won in straight heats, Planet
second, Frank Bogash third; best time

The 2:24 class trot, purse \$2000: The

Monk won, Paddy D. second, Quar terstaff third; best time 2:15. The 2:50 class trotting, two year-olds

purse \$1000: Amby won, Prince Otto second, Princess Flavia third; best

COLLARED M'KINLEY.

THE PRESIDENT TAKEN IN BY A

TROY FACTORY MAN.

Led to Sign a Memorial Which is to Be Used as a Mammonth Adver-

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]

patch.] Thirty thousand employes of the several big collar-and-cuff factories

are greatly exercised over what they declare is an insult offered to Presi-dent McKinley by a member of a firm

of collar-and-cuff manufacturers while the President was here last week. They say that under the pretense of getting President McKinley to sign his name

in what purported to be a memorial album, the firm really obtained the Chief Executive's signature under the indorsement of the brand of collars manufactured by the concern. This in-

dorsement is to be lithographed under the big head of the President and mammoth posters printed, which will be stuck up throughout the United

The facts, as stated by several em-ployes of this particular firm, make it appear that when the President made a visit to Troy, the collar company sub-

scribed \$500 to a fund to be used in en

tertaining the nation's head. The money was donated, however, on con-dition that the reception tendered the

President by the collar-and-cuff trade should be held at this particular com-pany's factory. The factory was beau-tifully decorated with bunting and the

President partook of a substantial

States as an advertising scheme

TROY (N. Y.,) Aug. 30.-[Special Dis-

tising Dodge-How the Scheme

NEW ORLEANS (La.,) Aug.

"Mr. Bryan declared that his trip had been a success in every respect and at no place had there been such Bryan declared that his trip as charter members, has adopted a constitution raising the standard of amateurism and defining very strictly and at no place had there been such an enthusiastic reception as in Nebraska towns. He thought the silver sentiment had, if anything, received an impetus in the past few months, and at any rate he found it flourishing. Bimetallism, he asserted, would be as live an issue three years hence as it was last fall, and would be found to be a much more powerful argument in securing the ballots of the masses.

At present all athletic associations are equally represented in the association. The new constitution substitutes a new basis of representation by compelling clubs devoted to a special branch of athletics to form submissions, to enter the main association on an equal footing with universities or general athletic clubs.

Boxing and wrestling clubs are excluded from the association, on the ground that to enforce strict amateurism in such clubs is practically imimpossible. The prosperity of Nebraska, he conceived to be due wholly to the good crops, and the prosperity incident thereto was absolutely in spite of the Republican tariff and the success of the gold party."

### AFRIDIS STILL LOYAL.

KOHAL PASS NOT YET CLOSED TO THE BRITISH.

Muktuh's Efforts to Excite Their Chiefs Have not Proved Successful-Col. Gordon's Column Advancing from Peshawur-Police Posts Burned.

Twenty rounds were fought, Mc-Partland displaying the most science. He drew blood early, kept pegging away with his left, punishing Everhardt and escaping any great damage to himself. But he could not give Everhardt enough punishment to put him out. In the nineteenth round Everhardt knocked McPartland down. At the end of the twentieth round the fight was declared no contest. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) PESHAWUR, Aug. 30 .- [By Indian Cable.] A column of native troops under Col. Gordon was sent out from Peshawur vesterday with orders to force the Kohal Pass if necessary, and reach Kohal. A dispatch from Simla his afternoon announced that, according to the information received there, the Kohal-pass Afridis were still loyal, in spite of Muktuh's strenuous efforts

> had promised not to oppose the advance of the column of troops from Pesha-The Kohal Pass at its entrance is commanded by Fort Mackeson. It runs through Afridi territory to the British post at Kohal, about forty miles from Peshawur. The latter is a strong military position.

to excite their chiefs, and that they

A PREMATURE REPORT. PESHAWUR, Aug. 30.—A strong force of Afridis, it is announced, has closed Kohal Pass and the proposed advance of the British column has been countermanded. With both Khyber and Kohal passes in the hands of the enemy the gravity of the situation has increased.

ISLAM'S PROPAGANDA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) LONDON, Aug. 30.—A Constantino ple correspondent of the Standard hears with reference to the Indian frontier troubles that, in response to a request of the Holy Islamic synod, Feteras have been issued authorizing a propaganda throughout Asia.

OTHER POSTS RELIEVED. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

Woodland Echoes.

WOODLAND, Aug. 30.—The race meeting opened auspiciously today. The weather was perfect and the attendance fair. Summary:
Pacing, 2:13 class, purse \$500: Our Boy won. Plunket, second, Arthur L. third; best time 2:13¼. Road Wilkes and Col. Benton also started.
Pacing, 2:25 class, purse \$300: Arthur W. won, Primrose second, Hijo del Diablo third; best time 2:14¼. Mabella and Bell also started.
Running, five furlongs, purse \$100: George L. won, Stormy second, Ricardo third; time 1:02½. SIMLA, Aug. 30 .- The column under Col. Richardson and a detached party Col. Richardson and a detached party which were sent to relieve the police posts at Lakka and Saifaldara found them hard pressed by Orakzais. A sharp conflict ensued between the relieving force and the rebels, resulting in the repulse of the latter with considerable loss. The posts were relieved, and their garrisons withdrawn.

### POLICE POSTS BURNED.

wasa and Kahi Sunday. (ASSOCIATED PRIMS DAY REPORT.)
SIMLA, Aug. 30.—[By Indian Cable.]

The Shinwasa and Kahi police posts on the Samana range were attacked and burned by the enemy and evacuated by their garrisons Sunday night In addition the Orakais burned the school and looted the bazaar.

### GREECE REPLIES.

Set Aside Four Million Drachmas Per Annum.

Drachmas Per Annum.

(ASSOCIATED PRIESS NIGHT REPORT.)

ATHENS, Aug. 30.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The government has replied to the request of the powers for a statement of the revenue it will be able to assign as a guarantee for the indemnity loan. The government offers to set apart revenues amounting to 4,000,000 drachmas yearly.

The Austrian government, it is stated, has proposed the rejection of the British plan for the settlement of the Graeco-Turkish difficulty, and urges that the five remaining powers proceed with the conclusion of peace ebtween the two countries.

HOLDING OUT CURRANTS.

HOLDING OUT CURRANTS ATHENS, Aug. 30.—In the Chamber of Deputies today M. Ralli, the Premier, presented a bill for the retention of a portion of the currant crop, de-claring that the government would treat the question as one of confidence. The bill passed its first reading.

### JOINING THE BUDDHISTS. Countess de Canavarro to Be Swor

in by Dharmapala.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT. (ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—A most unusual ceremony will be performed this evening upon the platform of New Century Hall on Fifth avenue, when Countess M. de Canavarro will be received into the Buddhist faith by H. Dharmapala, a priest of the Brahma-Zomaj sect. The priest will repeat in the prive larguage the formula of his native language the formula of the oath of Buddha, which will be re-peated by the proselyte.

peated by the proselyte.

This will be but the second ceremony of the kind ever performed in this country. Countess de Canavarro is an American woman, about 45 years of age; a native of California, who married a foreigner. Further than that she will say nothing whatever about her family affairs. She intends going to Ceylon to enter the order of Shikshunis or nuns, and devote the rest the life to studying the arcelant faith. shunis or nuns, and devote the rest of her life to studying the ancient faith

Robert S. Straine Arrested. BOSTON, August 30.—Robert S. Straine, president and director of the United Telegram Company of this city, was arrested this afternoon by an inspector from police headquarters on a charge of embezzling \$73,500.

VLADIVOSTOCK, Aug. 30.—The firs god in the construction of the Chinese Eastern Railway was cut in Chetey near Stanitzapoltavskaya today. A number of Chinese authorities were present.

Japan and Portugal. LISBON, Aug. 30.—A commercial treaty between Japan and Portugal was signed today.

MOONSHINER MASSACRE IN POPE COUNTY, ARK.

Fatal Aftermath of the Raid on Illicit Stills in the Mountains About Will Springs.

CAPT. B. F. TAYLOR SHOT DOWN.

AND TWO MISSING.

Within Thirty Feet of a Distillery When Fired Upon-Pistols Cracked in All Directions-Further Bloodshed Probable.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.,) Aug. 30.-Six men were probably massacred in the wilds of the mountains of Pope county yesterday afternoon. Two men were killed outright, two were fatally wounded and left for dead, and two have mysteriously disappeared and are either dead, or are being held captive by the bloodthirsty bandits who committed the awful crime. The killed are: CAPT. B. F. TAYLOR of Searcy county, a Deputy United States Mar-

JOE DODSON of Stone county, a

Deputy Marshal.

The fatally wounded are two brothers named Renfrow of Searcy county. The names of the missing men are not known, but they are supposed to be deputy sheriffs from adjoining

ocunties. The victims were all officers, deputy marshals and deputy sheriffs, and the nage are moonshiners of the boldest and most desperate class. The scene

and most desperate class. The scene of the bloody crime was a gulch or ravine in the mountains of Pope county, an isolated spot thirty-five miles from Russellville, the nearest telegraph office, and ten miles from Will Springs.

A few days ago a successful raid was made in the same locality, in which a dozen moonshiners were captured and brought to Little Rock. One of them told the officers that at least fifty large distilleries were operating in the same neighborhood. Taylor, with his posse, located a large moonshine outfit Saturday night, and decided to make the raid Sunday in daylight.

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Proceeding slightly in advance of his men, Taylor was within thirty feet of the distillery when he was suddenly fired upon from ambush and instantly killed. As Dodson ran up to Taylor, he was also shot dead in his tracks. Pistols began to crack in all directions, and a terrible volley was poured into the remaining officers.

The Renfrow brothers fell mortally wounded, and lay by the roadside until, later in the day, a traveler named Pack chanced by. All traces of the bandits has disappeared, as well as two of the deputy sheriffs. The latter have not since been heard from, and are believed either to have been killed or wounded, or taken away captive by the moonshiners.

The traveler rushed to Russellville.

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The traveler rushed to Russellville with the news, and the coroner, with a sheriff's posse, started for the scene. No news has been received since they departed. Pack thinks the Renfrow brothers will be dead before the party reaches them. It is not known by whom the murders were committed, but the officers believe the gang is composed of desperadoes headed by Horace Bruce and John Church, two of the most dangerous characters in that locality. The United States officers were today asked to offer a reward for the arrest of the gang, to which the State will contribute, and a determined effort will be made to capture them. It is very probable the efforts will lead to further bloodshed. Capt. Taylor was an excaptain in the Federal army. He had served two terms in the State Legislature, and was noted for his bravery. Marshal Corser this afternoon received the following telegram from the Attorney-General:

"WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Expense

ney-General: "WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Expense of posse, subject to executive approval, not to exceed \$2000 authorized. Five hundred dollars reward authorized for capture and delivery to marshal of all persons implicated in the murder. [Signed] "M'KENNA."

### ABOLISHING EXILE

Zar Nicholas Will Order Priso Confined in Russia

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) LONDON, Aug. 30.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Daily Chronicle this morning publishes the announcement that the Czar has decided upon the partial abolition of the exile to Siberia of criminals, and the substitu-tion therefor of confinement in large central prisons in Russia. The change

will become effective a year hence. Attorney Crouch Re-arrested

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STOCKTON, Aug. 30.—Attorney J. C.
Crouch, who has been in jail here for
the past two weeks, awaiting trial on
a charge of petty larceny, was released today on a writ of habeas corpus by Judge Budd, but was rearrested at the courtroom door by Sheriff Cunningham. The District Attorney did not have the stolen goods at
the preliminary hearing, but has secured them since, and will present
them at the next examination.

The Woman Druggist Found.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Mrs.

James P. McElroy, the woman druggist who was reported missing on Saturday, has been heard from. She arrived at San José on Friday, and at once went to Evergreen, where she has since been the guest of Mrs. Bemiss, matron of the Woman's Relief Corps (G.A.R. home for widows of Union veterans. She has been ill, and will remain there until her health is restored.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 30.—The British steamship Titania will, in a few days, sall from this port bearing the first cargo of steel rails ever shipped to South Africa. The shipment will amount to 1800 tons. Reduced to the Rauks

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Acting Inspector O'Brien, who has charge of the detective force, was today reduced to the rank of captain and assigned to a station. Sergt. George McCloskey has been made acting captain and placed in charge of the detective bureau.

NASHVILLE (Tenn.,) Aug. 30.—
heat broke the record yesterday,
the government reports shown w
correct, the temperature was 100 d
at 2 o'clock. No prostrations are

SAN JOSE, Aug. 30.—The trial of Mrs. Schofield and Dan Dutcher for murder was this morning set down for October 11. The proceedings were purely formal, and there was no inci-dent worthy of note.

[COAST RECORD.]

DRAGNET OF THE LAW TO BE PUT IN OPERATION.

to Be Issued for the Arrest of Several Persons in Puget Sound District.

PROMINENT PEOPLE ACCUSED.

ALLEGED RING.

Whittier Escape Caught in Venturs Stockton Will Contest.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) PORT TOWNSEND (Wash.,) Aug. 30 The Tacoma Ledger received today says it is probable that warrants will be issued by the United States authoritles within a few days for the arrest of several persons in the Puget Sound customs district for complicity in alleged landing of Chinese in the United States. It is also probable that the drag-net which has been put in operation by the government will bring

within its entanglements persons of prominence in political and social life in other parts of the State. An investigation by government officials, it is said, shows that there has been not only wholesale smuggling of Chinese, but that a large amount of contraband goods of various kinds has been brought into the United States through this port. It is estimated that more than twelve hundred Chinese have entered this port within the past six months. Collector Saunders denies all the charges, and says he courts an

AN OFFICIAL CIRCULAR. WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Secretary Gage and Atty.-Gén. McKenna issued a joint circular today to collector and customs officers and United States at-torneys and marshals relative to the torneys and marshals relative to the enforcement of the Chinese exclusion

laws. The circular says:
"In order more effectively to prevent
the irregular admission to this country
of Chinese persons claiming to be of Chinese persons claiming to be American birth through the submission of testimony believed to be fraudulent it has been decided to allow such per

it has been decided to allow such persons, upon the admission to the port of first arrival, to proceed to their destinations, where they may be arrested and more vigorously prosecuted than appears to be at present practicable. "By the provisions of the act of May 6, 1882, State and Federal courts are prohibited from admitting Chinese to citizenship, and the question whether children born of Chinese parents born in the United States are citizens is candren born of Camese parents born in the United States are citizens is now pending in the Supreme Court. Until otherwise ordered, all Chinese found in this country who are unable to produce laborers' certificates or registration, or evidence of their status as rested by Chinese immigrant inspectors and delivered to the proper legal au-thorities for the determination of their right to remain in the country."

ALKALI DID IT.

Knocks Off a Big Lump from Fresno's Assessment.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) SACRAMENTO, Aug. 30 .- The aftersession of the State Board of Equalization today was given over to hearing the arguments of representatives of Fresno county as to why the it in that county should not be raised. A comparison of the pres-ent roll with that of last year shows falling-off in values of over \$1,250,

a falling-off in values of over \$1,250,-000. It was this falling-off that caused the equalizers to cite Fresno county to show cause why it should not be boosted up some per cent.

The county was represented by Assessor J. P. Vincent and his deputy, W. J. Hutchinson, Supervisor T. C. White and Alexander Gordon, a leading vineyardist.

ing vineyardist.

Assessor Vincent said that the great Assessor wheen said that the great loss was in an immense tract of land lying southwest of Fresno, which was planted in vines, trees and alfalfa. At one time this was as rich a tract of land as there was in Fresno county, but the alkall in the water lying be-

land as there was in Fresno county, but the alkali in the water lying beneath the surface of the ground had gradually encroached upon it. This had damaged the soil tremendously, and had called for an enormous reduction.

As an instance, Assessor Vincent called attention to one farm that had at one time sold for \$150 an acre. The alkali had encroached upon this farm until the assessment had fallen to \$50 an acre. Last year he had looked at the place and reduced the assessment to \$35. This year he had again gone over the ground and assessed this place for \$17 an acre. He thought even then that he had placed much too high a value upon it.

a value upon it.

In other parts of the country his assessment was fully up to that of the previous year, and was fairly and fully assessed. Crops were good; wheat and raisins were doing well, and some raisins had sold as high as 5 cents a pound.

FRUIT-GROWERS HAPPY.

Best Prices in Years Offered for

Dried Products. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) SAN FRANCISCO, August 30.-The growers of prunes, raisins and other dried fruits were extremely happy to-day over the state of the market, prices offered for those commodities being much higher than they have

been for many years.

The market showed that prunes had gone to 3¼, 3½, 3½ and 3½ cents for the four sizes. There are no prunes on the market, either old or new, and the buyers are scrambling for them.

Resisting advanced to 3¼ cents for them. Raisina advanced to \$\frac{3}{2} cents for two-crown, \$4\frac{1}{2} cents for two-crown, \$4\frac{1}{2} cents for three-crown, \$5\frac{1}{2} cents for four-crown and \$1.15 for Lon-don layers. The prune crop in the Santa Clara Valley is drying up much lighter than has been expected, and this also adds to the firmness of prices.

USED DELMAS'S NAME.

James Walter Gough May Answer to

the Grand Jury.
ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) (ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—James
Walter Gough, a youth alleged to
have signed the name of Attorney
Delmas to a pretended assignment of
all the proceeds of his law business as
security for money advanced, failed
to apepar in Judge Slack's court today when the Angus-Craven case was
resumed and the court proceeded to
investigate the matter in his absence.
Charles Moulter, a carriage-trimmer, testified to the effect that two
weeks ago, Gough went to him sail
borrowed some money upon the alleged
Fair will. He already owed Moulter

about \$700, which was secured by certain papers with Delmas's name signed to them. Gough represented that he was the uncle of one of the jurors in the Fair case, and that therefore Delmas would win the case and pay him all that he alleged he owed, and on this showing Moulter lent him the money.

Judge Slack said it was evident Judge Slack said it was evident that Moulter had been imposed upon, and that Gough should be arrested for having obtained money by means of false pretenses. Attorney Nagle inti-mated that he would call the atten-tion of the grand jury to the matter.

THE HOFFMAN CASE.

Efforts of the Defense to Establish

the Suicide Theory.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.-Mrs. Hoffman was recalled by the defense in the Figel case today for cross-examination upon the subject of the letter demanding \$60 from her husband in rejum for seasons that much horse. in return for an order that mail be delivered to him which was found in Hoffman's desk after his death. The prosecution objected to this line of examination, however, and the court

sustained the objection. Mrs. Hoff-man was thereupon excused. Dr. D. D. Lustig, who assisted Drs. Shiels and Williams in experiments with a pistol upon a cadaver, testified to that fact and was asked a number that fact and was assished upon hypothetical questions.

Mrs. Solomon Lewek was called upon written by her-

to testify to the letter written by her-self to Hoffman condoling with him upon his domestic relations, but it was ot admitted in evidence. L. L. Levings, an Examiner re-porter, testified to having seen the revolver found in Hoffman's office. He swore to having seen blood upon the

cylinder.

Officer Colen swore that the ristol which was exhibited to Reporter Bishop of the Call on the night of the murder was not Hoffman's pistol, but his own.

FIVE LITTLE ORPHANS.

Officials of the San Francisco Immigration Bureau in a Quandry.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30 .- The of cials of the local immigration bureau are in a quandary. The bark R. P. Rithet, just arrived brought among her passengers five little orphans, whose ages range from 14 to 4 years, consigned to Maj. Win-chell of the Salvation Army. A letter chell of the Salvation Army. A letter from Consul-General Hapgood to Collector Jackson explains that the parents of the children died destitute in Honolulu about one year 'ago, leaving them and a baby sister a public charge. The latter was adopted by a philanthropic resident of Hawaii, but the others were maintained by the Salvation Army on the island, until the burden became too heavy to be borne longer.

An appeal to the army officials has An appeal to the army officials has resulted in an order to send the children to San Francisco. As the children were paupers, however, the immigration officials refused to allow them to be landed unless Maj. Winchell furnished bonds in the sum of \$500 for each of the quintette as a guarantee that they shall not become public charges, but so far the necessary sureties have not been found.

BUDD IS GOVERNOR.

s Home from His Vacation and Will

'Displace Jeter. (ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) STOCKTON, Aug. 30,-The Mail tonight will print an interview with Gov. Budd with regard to his reported ap-sence from the State, of which the folowing is a synopsis:

"Who is Governor of California?"
"I am," said Gov. Budd, in answer to

pleasantry this morning.
The Chief Executive is back within The Chief Executive is back within the boundaries of the State once more. Jeter of Santa Cruz will no longer have the pleasure of signing official documents with the words, "Lieut. Gov. Jeter, Acting Governor of California." The Governor arrived yesterday morning, after an absence of seven weeks from the northern part of the State. He has been staying at Klamath Hot Springs and Klamath Lake. The spring is four miles this side of the northern boundary and the lake lies partly in California and partly in Oregon.

STABBED THE OLD MAN. n Outcast's Greeting to His Fathe

After Many Years.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) OAKLAND, August 30.-Timothy Trainor, who has been an outcast from his home for many years, returned to the parental roof at midnight on Sat-urday. His father refused to take him in, and he stabbed the old man so se-riously that he is being held in the City Prison upon a charge of assault

to murder.
"I was afraid of the boy," said Mr. "I was afraid of the boy," said Mr. Trainor today. "He has threatened me before, and I was afraid to let him into the house! I told him that he could not come in, and he insisted, and when I would not let him he drew his knife and stabbed me."

Young Trainor is scarcely 25 years of age. He was born in this city, and his record is not good.

STOCKTON WILL CONTEST.

Daughter of a Deceased Capitalist Appears on the Scene. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

STOCKTON, Aug. 30.—The late Basilio Laogier, or L. Basilio, as he was better known, a wealthy nerchant of early days and recently a capitalist, left an estate worth about \$250,000 to left an estate worth about \$250,000 to his wife, residing here, who was his second wife and had no children. Today his only child, a daughter by his first wife, arrived here with her brother, Juan Marshall of Guaymas, Mex., and will demand her share of the estate. The daughter is a niece of Frank Anaya of San Francisco, a well-known politician, and also of Felix Anaya, a well-known business man of Modesto.

A WHITTIER ESCAPE.

Joseph Morris Found in a Ventur County Wood Camp.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) VENTURA, Aug. 30.—Capt. Davis a rived from Whittier reform school to day in response to a message from Constable Miller, who captured Joseph Morris, a Whittier escape, at a wood camp north of Ventura. Joe is 20 years old, and during his two-years' stay at the school has escaped four times, wandering back to his former home in this locality.

DIED ON THE ROAD.

An Unknown With a Miner's Outsit Found at Lomo Station. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

YUBA CITY, Aug. 30 .- The badly north of this place, yesterday, and an inquest was held over the remains to-day. The man had been traveling to the mines, and his outfit consisted of three horses and a wagon with a miner's and carpenter's tools. He had been dead about four days when found. Papers on the body gave his name as Albert Morehouse, a return address on an envelope gave the name of Ed-

ward Morehouse, Five Mile Store, Mission road, San Francisco.

The jury found a verdict of death from natural causes, and the officers have written to the address on the letter to ascertain the whereabouts of the relatives of the deceased. His outfit is being held here pending the inquiry being made.

DR. BROWN'S ULTIMATUM.

Refuses Trial Except on Assumption That He Was Acquitted.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.-Rev Dr. C. O. Brown refuses to meet Bay conference in the way that conference committée desires. ter was received today from Dr. Brown in which he rejects their offers, and be tried only upon the assumption that

ence has refused.

The committee will meet in a few days to consider the communication.

Supreme Court Favors Deaf Mute. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—For the first time in the history of the Su-preme Court of this State a written examination has been given to an applicant for license to practice law. The examination, which was successfully passed today, was taken by Theodore Grady, a deaf mute. He is a teacher in the Asylum of the Deaf and Dumb at Berkeley. He has studied law for several years, and expects to become a writer of briefs, and perhaps an author of legal works.

A Question of Jurisdiction. A Question of Jurisdiction.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—The limit of time for the filing of the reports of the steamer lines on the bay and river as required by the State Board of Railroad Commissioners expires tomorrow, and as the steamboat men, with a single exception, have agreed to ignore the commissioners' authority, their jurisdiction will probably be tested in the courts. The principal argument advanced by the steamboat men is that their craft are under the jurisdiction of the United States authorities.

Rev. Dr. Sexton Dead.
VACAVILLE, Aug. 30.—Rev. Dr. J.
B. Sexton, a pioneer Baptist minister, died here today. Dr. Sexton came to California in 1853. He organized the first Baptist Church in Stockton and the Tentia-avenue Baptist Church in Oakland. He has been pastor in Stockton, Oakland, Healdsburg, Vacaville and Red Bluff. The last years of his life were spent in Vacaville.

Will Account Elsewhere. SAN LORENZO, Aug. 30.—Rather than appear in court and explain his stewardship over the \$2000 estate of his young nephew, Jens Hansen of San Lorenzo ended his life this morning by aking strychnine.

Coming by Boat. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Passengers on the steamer Coos Bay for San Pedro are Miss Watte. Miss Coulter, Miss Steele and C. Undell.

MRS. JOHN DREW DYING.

HER NEXT BOOKING IS FOR THE DIVINE COMEDY.

Dr. Jackson Says the End of the Veteran Actress is a Question of but a Few Days or Possibly

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.) NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—[Special Dispatch.] Mrs. John Drew is dying. The veteran actress who has worn the mask of comedy for so many years, who has wooed both laughter and tears from three generations of play-goers, mont, N. Y. The end may come at

any moment, say the physicians. Mrs. Drew, who has been spending the summer months at Bevan House, has for several years been a sufferer from a complication of kidney and heart troubles. No immediate cause for alarm, however, was felt until a month ago, when a decided change for the worse took place. Since then she has been gradually growing weaker.

John Drew, who has been touring the

Pacific Coast in "Rosemary." will leave his company tomorrow at Salt Lake City and come directly to New York. Miss Ethel Barrymore, Mrs. Drew's grand-daughter, not anticipating the present situation, sailed only a few days ago to join Henry Irving's

At Bevan House with Mrs. Drew are ters, distant relatives of the Drews, and young "Jack" Barrymore, son of the late Georgie Drew and Maurice Barrymore. Young Barrymore, who is a manly fellow of 16, and devoted to his grandmother, was seen this evening immediately after consultation with Dr. Jackson, and said there was no change for the better in the

veteran actress' condition.

"You know at her age," he volun-"there is very little vitality. Her heart is very weak, and I think the immediate danger lies there."

The physicians in attendance entertain no hope of Mrs. Drew's recovery. She is 77 years of age, and the ravages of disease have sapped her "I do not think there is a chance for

Mrs. Drew," said Dr. Jackson, "Her death is merely a question of a few days at best, possibly a few hours."

A Real Mermaid.

A Real Mermaid.

A remarkable creature, half human, half fish, has just been mummified and taken to New York. It is the closest approach known to science of the mermalds and mermen of fiction and tradition. Its scientific name is Dugong Manital, Genus Homo, and is popularly termed human fish. It was caught last summer by a Mexican fisherman while he was dragging his net in the Gulf of California. It was kept alive for three months, but then died and was mummified by an officer of the United States Fish Commission steamer Albatross. It was thirty-one inches long when alive and weighed twenty-seven pounds. The creature has the perfect form of a female human being from the head to the waist, having the brain, teeth, vertebrae and hair. In the ears were found the gills of a fish. From the waist down it is an ordinary fish, with scales, dorsal and caudal fins.

The only other perfect specimen of this marine marvel known to be in existence is in the Royal Museum in Berlin, where it was sent by some German sailors who found it in the Gulf of California, which seems to be its only habitat.

During the few weeks that this semi-A remarkable creature, half human,

habitat.

During the few weeks that this semihuman fish was alive it was said to be
very docile, yet very intelligent. Its
eyes had a human expression in them,
and its features, while not as beautiful
as those attributed to the mermalds
of mythology, were nevertheless very
human, and it was not difficult to conceive how the ancients, if they saw
one of these, readily sprung at the
mermaid fancy.

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spellbound with his graphic account of how "Rebel George" duped him and his aged friend jointly out of \$9000. The examination was before City Justice Morrison. Deputy District At-

Justice Morrison. Deputy District Attorney McComas represented the prosecution and Henry T. Gage conducted the defense. The defendant's wife was an interested spectator, and there was the usual number of regular habitues of the court to watch the proceedings, which were lively from the beginning. The first witness called was Bowron, the complainant. He is a silver-haired Englishmen 70 wars old whese child.

which were lively from the beginning. The first witness called was Bowron, the complainant. He is a silver-haired Englishman, 70 years old, whose child-like simplicity made it evident that he was entirely unused to legal procedure. His embarrassment during the examination was at times almost painful, and when Mr. Gage took him in hand for cross-examination, the old man's helplessness was almost pitiful. Not so with Mr. Lord. He was called at the afternoon session and gepeated the story told by the venerable Mr. Bowron at the morning session, with a nicety as to detail and picturesqueness of language quite in keeping with his reputation as a prince of story-tellers. The witness was subjected to little questioning and allowed to tell the story of the nugget transaction in his own peculiar way.

He began by telling how the defendant, in the garb of a miner, came to his ranch at Ioamosa, near Cucamonga, to inquire after an old mining man named Burgess. Lord recollected that he had known a man named Burgess whom he grub-staked seventeen or eighteen years ago and sent to Panamint on a prospecting tour. Soon after reaching Panamint, Burgess sent \$25 to Lord and wrote that he had decided to go to New Mexico. Afterward Burgess wrote from New Mexico that he was trading with the Indians and had other interests which he expected would make him rich, after which he intended to return to Southern California and settle down. Meantime he wanted Lord to select a wife for him. Lord agreed to do so, but by and by lost track of Burgess.

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All this Lord related to the stranger who had introduced himself as J. W. Alexander, miner. The latter said he had been directed to call on Mr. Lord for information about Burgess, by a Los Angeles bank clerk, and he was satisfied that the Burgess described by Lord was the man he was looking for. He did not know Burgess himself, but his "pard," Baldy Sowers, had known him years ago, and was very anxious to learn his whereabouts.

"You see," said Alexander, "me and Baldy have struck it rich. We've got a fine mine, but we ain't businessmen. Neither of us can read or write and we are afraid somebody might discover our location and cheat us out of it. Now, Baldy knows Burgess and says he's just the man to organize a company for us and act as our manager. That's why I am hunting him."

Lord was by this time interested in the old miner's story and wanted to learn more about his mine. He asked him to come and sit on the porch. Oh, no, said the man; he was too dirty for that; he didn't want to soil a chair by sitting in it with his mining clothes on. But Lord persisted and the alleged miner accepted his hospitality. "His make-up was perfect," said Lord. "He had colored his whiskers, had on dirty clothes as though just in from the mines, and wore a green patch over his left eye. He explained that he had lost this eye some time ago, and had a glass eye to fit in the hole, but it hurt him so that he carried it in his pocket and swore a patch to conceal his disfigurement. He showed me the glass eye, and I believed his story."

Lord then went on to tell how apprehensive Alexander was that some one might overhear his conversation and learn the secret of his mine, but being assured that no one except Lord, Mrs. Lord and their aged friend, Bowron, who was staying at the house, was present, he became communicative and told a great deal about his past and his plans for the future. "A big tear dropped from his good eye." said the witness, "as he told us how he had parted from his poor old mother back in Georgia, when he was a boy

TEARS, IDLE TEARS.

SHED BY BALDY SOWERS'S ONEEYED PARTNER.

Touching Story of the Lead Nugget
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REBEL GEORGE'S WORK OF ART.

The Last They Saw of Him He Had
Their Money and Was Weeping
Over a Grave—Any Old
Grave.

When a shrewd business man like
L. W. Lord, the sage of Joamosa, becomes the victim of a bunco game, he is usually very reticent about it. Generally it is only in the hope of recovered by the sage of Joamosa, becomes the victim of a bunco game, he is usually very reticent about it. Generally it is only in the hope of recovered by the sage of Joamosa, becomes the victim of a bunco game, he is usually very reticent about it. Generally it is only in the hope of recovered by the sage of Joamosa, becomes the victim of a bunco game, he is with Mr. Lord. Every since his famous \$10,000 gold-nugget transaction with "Rebel George," last April, he has shown a reluctance to discuss the subject.

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As the stranger appeared to have placed considerable confidence in Lord from the start, the latter was emboldened to propose that he be taken into the big corporation that was to be formed. The suggesion semed agreeable to Alexander and he consented to return to Lorence with Lord for the return to Ioamosa with Lord for the night, so that they could talk the mat-

ter over.

The witness said the joy depicted in his wife's face, and in the face of Bowron, when they saw Alexander return with him, was worth all the experience had cert him. perience had cost him. It was agreed between them that night that both he and Bowron should have a chance to get in on the deal. Alexander, however, needed \$10,000 for immediate use in purchasing supplies, and if they could accommodate him with that amount until the new partnership or incorporation was fixed up, he would deposit the sack of nuggets in Mr. Lord's name as security. It was agreed that Lord should put up \$6000 and Bowron \$4000.

This is about as far as Mr. Lord got with his testimony. He will tell how he was filmflammed at the bank, by having a sack of gilded lead ingots substituted for the bag of nuggets, when the case is resumed next Friday at 2:30 p.m., to which time an adjournment was taken, on account of Mr. Gage having an engagement at San Diego that will demand his attention for the next few days.

Mr. Lord positively identified the defendant, Knowlton, as the man Alexander who played the role of the one-eyed miner so successfully.

During the examination, Mr. Lord frequently referred to the defendant as "my friend," and "the gentleman."

"Who do you mean by 'friend' and 'gentleman?" asked Mr. McComas.
"Do you mean the defendant?"

"Yes, sir," was the reply, "būt I hate to refer to as clever a man az he has shown himself to be, as a criminal. I was swindled out of \$24,000 once by perience had cost him. It was agreed between them that night that both he and Bowron should have a chance to

has shown himself to be, as a criminal. I was swindled out of \$24,000 once by trusting a Presbyterian deacon. This man is a gentleman compared with that deacon. The defendant took me in with my eyes open, and I bear him no ill-will."

Mr. Bowron's testimony at the morning session, was substantially the same as that given by Lord, barring details. as that given by Lord, barring details.

He went farther and told how he parted with his \$3000. He was to have put up \$4000, but found at the last moment that he could not raise that amount. He had never seen the bag of nuggets on deposit as security, but had Mr. Lord's word for it, the latter gentleman having made an inves-tigation and reported everything all

right.

Bowron paid his money over to Alexander at the United States Hotel, in the presence of Lord. After Alexander had stowed the money away in the bosom of his shirt, he asked Bowron and Alexander to accompany him to a cemetery where he wished to pay a small tribute to the memory of his sainted mother. She was not buried there, but to weep over some other grave would relieve his feelings. The alleged miner with the one eye wept copiously over an unknown grave, while his two new-found friends stood solemnly by. Then he left them, but said he would take dinner with them at the United States Hotel that evening, and would leave for the desert on the 8:30 p.m. train to carry the news of the new partnership to his old side partner, Baldy Sowers.

The last Bowron saw of Alexander that day was as he waved an adieured from a street car and shouted: "You're all right!" He did not keep his appointment at dinner, nor did he show up at the depot where Bowron went to see him off. The next time Bowron saw him was after Detective Bradish's

return from Spokane, Wash., with Rebel George, who Bowron swears is none other than the J. W. Alexander who got away with his roll of \$3000.

The charge upon which Knowlton is being examined is grand larceny. A complaint for obtaining money under false pretenses has also been issued, but will probably be dismissed if the defendant is held for grand larceny.

THE CUBAN SHERMAN.

ENSATIONAL MARCH OF BANDERAS AND HIS FORCES

rom the Eastern to the Western End of the Island-The March Effected In Compliance With Gomez's Plans and With Little Opposition from Spaniards.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The Journal and Advertiser says:

"The sensationally-victorious march of the Cubans under Maximo Gomez "The sensationally-victorious march of the Cubans under Maximo Gomez and Antonio Macco the entire length of the island in Martinez Campos's time has just been duplicated by Quintin Banderas. The negro war captain, than whom no Cuban of the colored race, excepting only Macco, perhaps, has won greater honors in the struggle for independence, led 12,000 men from the eastern end of the island, where the patriots in arms are strongest, to the western end, where, since Macco's death, the Cuban cause has not prospered so well.

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"The news of the brilliant achievement was brought to the Journal and Advertiser by the mail from Havana, in an autograph letter from Banderas himself. In it he requests the publication of the proclamation that he issued on taking charge of the department. Banderas says that the second invasion of the west was made in compliance with plans that were completed by Maximo Gomez, the general-in-chief himself, in June last, and that the march was effected with little or no trouble or molesta-

eral-in-chier nimseir, in June last, and that the march was effected with little or no trouble or molestation from the Spanish troops. The proclamation intimates that there have been wholesale desertions from the Spanish army in Havana province into the Cuban service. The rest of the proclamation is directed 'to the the Spanish army in Havana province into the Cuban service. The rest of the procalmation is directed 'to the men of my race,' and is as follows:
"It only remains for me to appeal to the men of my race to point out to them that we owe the liberty of our fathers to the revolution of 1868, and it is my duty to present to them the example of that noble figure, Maj.-Gen. Antonio Maceo, who died on the field for the liberty of his country."

COUNTRENALOZA'S PERDICTION

COUNT PENALOZA'S PREDICTION. DENVER, Aug. 30.—Count Henri Penaloza of Paris is spending a few Penaloza of Paris is spending a few days in the city upon mining business. The Count is an American by birth, a Spaniard by descent and a Frenchman by adoption. He was born in San Francisco in 1869, while his parents were spending the winter in California. In the course of an interview, Count Penaloza said: "As long as Spain has a man or a penny in the treasury, the Spanish government will not consent to the independence of Cuba. A country whose call for military funds was subscribed for four times over, and which has sent 200,000 soldiers to Cuba, is not in the impoverished condition so often described."

st proclivities of his family.

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(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
MADRID, Aug. 30.—At a Cabinet
council held today it was decided to
summon the next class of 40,000 reserves, 27,000 of whom will be sent to
Cuba, and 13,000 to the Philippine Islands. The Ministers, when questioned,
denied that the council was occupied
with the subject of colonial reforms or
with political questions.

FIRE IN CHINATOWN.

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At 2:30 o'clock this morning fire broke out in a Chinese store at No. 318 Marchessault street, in the heart of Chinatown. Several excited Celestials ran to the Plaza and fired their pistols to attract attention to the flames. About the same time Police Officer Neighbors turned in an alarm from

box 64.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—S.
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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

## HAD SHORT SHRIFT

BOILER INSPECTOR AND DEPUTY SUMMARILY DISCHARGED.

Council Fixes the Rate of Tax Levy for the Current Year-Some Needed Safeguards.

THE BISHOP CASE DISMISSED.

NO PROOF THAT HE ATTEMPTED TO DEFRAUD HIS CREDITORS.

Two Years' Imprisonment at San Quentin-Two Examinations for Insanity.

The City Council yesterday fixed the rate of tax levy at \$1.25 in the old city limits and \$1 in the annexed district. ome important recommendations made by the Finance Committee to insure a more careful disbursement of the city's funds, were adopted. Boiler Inspector Church and his deputy were summarily discharged upon recomdischarged upon mendation of the committee appointed to investigate the charges agains

San Francisco last week en route to the Klondyke, on a charge of attempt-ing to defraud his creditors, and whose examination was commenced before Justice Young last Saturday, was discharged yesterday afternon because of lack of evidence.

Manuel Fierro, convicted of attempt ing to murder an Italian section hand was sentenced to San Quentin for a term of three years.

Two insanity cases were tried before

Judge Van Dyke, one of which was dismissed. In the other case a commitment was issued.

[AT THE CITY HALL.]

### TAX RATE FIXED.

IMPORTANT RECOMMENDATIONS BY

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

iler Inspector Church and Hi Deputy Summarily Fired-Resolutions Requesting an Early De-cision from the Supreme Court in the Headworks Case.

The report of the Finance Committee was presented to the City Council yesterday morning. In the apportionment of the city's income among the various departments, the committee's recommendations were in the main in ac cordance with the City Auditor's es-timates. An important exception was made in the case of the fire depart-ment, the \$28,000 required for new apparatus being temporarily turned into the cash fund, with the proviso that it shall be available for the purchase of apparatus in case no issue

of fire bonds is made.

The rate of taxation within the old city limits was fixed at \$1.25, and in the annexed territory at \$1.00. Some important recommendations were made by the committee for the purpose of checking the present loose expenditures of city funds.

of city funds.

Boiler Inspector Church and his dep-Boiler Inspector Church and his deputy, Little, received short shrift at the hands of the Council. Both were summarily ejected from their offices. FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT. The report of the Finance Commit-

Old city limits, add State Board of Equalization levy upon railway property

Grand total subject to levy for general municipal expenses..... \$58,851,112 "The estimates presented by the City Auditor call for the sum of \$67,350 on principal of bonded indebtedness and principal of bonded indebtedness and \$63,494 on interest, a total of \$131,344. A rate of 25 per cent. on each \$100 of valuation within the old city limits, to-wit. \$85,232,203, will produce \$138,-680.50, an excess of \$6736.50. Of this excess, \$2716.08 is consumed by the various bond funds in adjusting the percentages, while the remainder of \$420.42 is apportioned to the main sewer bond fund of 1887, in which there is a balance of \$12,000 unprovided for, drawing 7 per cent. Interest. These bonds are payable at option of city, and being without sinking fund or serial retirement feature, and being the only remaining issue drawing a higher rate of interest than 5 per cent, it appears highly desirable to your committee to apply the above surplus to their partial payment.

partial payment. The Auditor's estimate for general 

And an estimated revenue other than taxes of..... 245,050.60

Leaving to be raised by taxes.... to this amount we add an addi-tional allowance of \$1000 each to Elysian Park and Police Depart-ment funds.....

taxes shown by statement of City Clerk, there is a total valuation of \$58,851,112 subject to taxation for general municipal expenses, and since we are limited by the charter provision to a maximum levy for this purpose of \$1 for each \$100 valuation, our total income from this source will be \$58,511.12, or an amount \$5,418.12 less than needed to meet requirements. Without attempting to reduce the allowance of any particular department to meet this deficiency we have deducted the same from the Auditor's allowance to the general cash fund.

FIRE DEPARTMENT APPROPRIA-

"The Auditor has divided the fire "The Auditor has divided the fire department apportionment under two heads, viz.; general expense \$99,617.43, and new apparatus, \$28,895.70. Your committee respectfully recommends that only the first above-named amount be directly apportioned to this department at this time, and that the remaining sum of \$28,895.70 be carried to the cash fund, there to be held intact until

a final determination shall have been reached regarding an issue of bonds to include the items making up this sum. In the event bonds are issued for this department that portion of this appropriation applying directly to new apparatus can be used in the construction of a much-needed police-alarm system, and also in meeting the increased demands for public-school facilities. This recommendation is made not with any desire to divert this money from ultimate use in the fire department should it be requisite for the needed extension of that department should it be requisite for then eneded extension of that department of the protection of the annexed territory, but rather to make provision at this time for its use along other scarcely less desirable lines in case other funds shall be furnished this department. If the further recommendations of this committee are carried out we do not fear any misuse of these funds while they form an item of the general cash fund.

"In keeping with the above suggestion, we would respectfully recommend a tax levy for the fiscal year."

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The City Auditor's weekly report, the street. On motion of Blanchard Dr. H. N. The City Auditor's meaking the provision of the commendation of \$1\$ and the street and \$1\$ and Santa Fé avenue, Ninth and Whitson streets, Ninth and Channing streets. Mathuss moved that the City Clerk be instructed to notify Henry Mathus and Parking North Results and Ninth and Channing streets. "We herewith submit an ordinance fixing the easely recommend as tax levy for bubble. The form the same be placed upon its passage."

The report was adopted as read.

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of these funds while they form an item of the general cash fund.

"In keeping with the above suggestion, we would respectfully recommend a tax levy for the fiscal year 1897-98 of \$1 per \$100 of assessed valuation of all property, real and personal, for general municipal expenses, and a further levy of 25 cents ter \$100 of assessed valuation of all property, real and personal, site ated within the old limits of the city for principal and interest on the bonded indebtedness of the city. Thus making a rate of \$1.25 within the old city limits and \$1 in the annexed portion of the city.

APPORTIONMENT OF FUNDS.

"We suggest the following apportionment of the funds thus realized, to-wit:

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Fire Department	99,476.00	.1691	99,517.43
Common school		.1679	98,811.02
Public Library	18,809.71	.0320	
General Park			
East L. A. Park	9,917.11		9,945.84
Hollenbeck Park			
Echo Park		.0065	
Elysian Park			
Park nursery	3,500.00		
Sunset Park	1,000.00		
Westlake Park	10,039.76		
Street lighting			
Street sprinkling	46,400.00	.0788	46,374.67

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST. BONDED

1	DEBT.		
	Amount required.	Rate.	wiit
Main sewer, 1887	\$ 7,576,501	.00881	4.860.42
School, 1889	16,500.00	.0305	16.845.82
Internal sewer, 1890	30,855.00	.0570	31,482.36
Funding, 1891	5,275.00	.0097	5,357.53
Outfall sewer, 1892. Public school im-	35,750.00	.0660	36,453.24
provement, 1895	20,731.50	.0383	21,153,93
Central police, 1895	2,710.00	.0051	2,816.8
Water system im-	-,		=,01010
provement, 1895	2,032.50	.0038	2,098.83
Refunding, 1897	16,650.00	.0308	17,011.5
	\$138,080.50	\$ .2500	\$138,080.5

NEEDS OF THE CITY.

"Your committee confesses much embarrassment in attempting an ad-justment of the limited funds possible of acquirement to the pressing needs of the rapidly expanding departments of the city government. With a system cumbersome, expensive and defying curtailment, we are also by patrimonial beneficence limited to a \$1 rate of texations rate of taxation—a minimum rate with which to meet an entailed maximum expense. It is a matter of deep ret to your committee that such insignificant pittance is available an insignificant pittance is available for use in prosecuting features of public work, such as improvement and care of streets, extension of police and fire protection, expansion of library, construction of bridges, increase of educational facilities, etc. Nor can the various departments be accused of receiving more than sufficient for care maintenance since, of the forty-two divisions into which the amount raised for general municipal expenses is divided, only eleven exceeds the amounts actually expended each year, while twenty are considerable less. Of the eleven showing an increase, five outside of library, police, streets and general park show a total increase of only \$1250.

"Your committee, while apparently having in charge the matter of the city's finances, is impelled to urge that under the present system or lack of system it should not be held regregafor use in prosecuting features of pub

city's finances, is impelled to urge that under the present system or lack of system it should not be held responsible for any failure to restrain the outgo of departments within the limits of their respective allowances, since such wide latitude is granted in originating requisitions and demands. The result of last year's business shows that in nearly every department the outgo exceeded the apportionment. It is evident that this practice cannot prevail this year without ice cannot prevail this year without serious consequences, since every dol-lar of our expectancy is already ap-portioned to the various avenues of

expense.
"It therefore becomes imperative to impress upon the various departments the necessity of using throughout the year only a proportionate amount of their various funds and to enlist their carnet comparation in keeping their earnest coöperation in keeping the expense within the limits by the practice of the most rigid economy. In order that each department may be at all times fully advised as to the condition of the various funds pertaining thereto, and that this committee may also have the assurance that the various departments are drawing requisitions departments are drawing requisitions and demands with due intelligence of the condition of the fund drawn upon, we would respectfully recommend that the City Auditor be instructed to institute the following system:

SAFEGUARDS RECOMMENDED. "Figst-That the Auditor immediately furnish each of the following-named departments with a detailed statement of the sums allowed for the maintenance of said departments for the fiscal year, together with the amount of demands audited against the same since July 1, 1897, to-wit: amount or demands audited against the same since July I, 1897, to-wit: Attorney, Assessor, Tax and License Collector, City Clerk, Custodian of City Hall, health department, fire depart-ment, Treasurer, Public Library, engineer's department, including outfall sewer department, Auditor, police de-partment, Water Overseer, street de-

partment and parks.
"Second—That each of the aboveing grade of Magnolia avenue from named departments open memorandum accounts in a book to be kept for this purpose, crediting the same with amounts allowed as per Auditor's statement, and charging same with the amounts of demands already audited and all subsequent demands drawn against each of said funds. Each demand so charged shall bear the check word 'charged' upon the upper margin of the file face of same, and when not so checked shall be returned to the Auditor for such entry.

'Third—A similar record shall be kept by the Auditor of all funds either departmental or individual not included in above list.

'Fourth—All requisitions drawn in excess of appropriation must plainly state this fact upon face of same, and all requisitions drawn for expense not contemplated by appropriation must plainly state this fact upon face of same, and all requisitions drawn for expense not contemplated by appropriation must plainly state this fact upon face of same, and all requisitions drawn for expense not contemplated by appropriation must plainly state this fact upon face of same, and all requisitions drawn for expense not contemplated by appropriation must plainly written upon the face of same, and all requisitions drawn for expense not contemplated by appropriation must plainly written upon the face of same these words, 'Not provided for in appropriation.'

"Fifth—On the first day of October, January, March and June of each year each department named in the first paragraph hereof shall report to the Auditor shall make a report to the Finance Committee embodying the reports of the departments and including similar statements of the remaining funds.

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The City Auditor's weekly report, the Tax Collector's final report for the past fiscal year, the City Clerk's report as clerk of the Board of Equalization, the clerk of the Board of Equalization, the Police Commissioners' report upon James Mackel's petition for a rebate of license, were read and referred. The usual reports upon demands and re-quisitions were approved. The report of the Board of Public Works was read

SMELLED A RAT.

The following resolution was offered by Blanchard: Whereas, protests are frequently entered asking the City Council not to accept work, or appealing from the City Engineer or Street Superintendent

City Engineer or Street Superintendent in accepting public work, and "Whereas, it is the desire of this Council to throw all the safeguards possible around the improvement of our city, therefore be it "Resolved, that whenever in the judgment of the City Engineer or Street Superintendent of this city it is precessary in order to determine the

necessary in order to determine the quality of materials used in public work, the said City Engineer or Street Superintendent are hereby authorized to expend a sum of money not to exceed \$50 on any such contract for the ceed \$50 on any such contract for the purpose of such determination."

It was at once apparent that the motion was viewed with distrust by the other members of the Council. Toll expressed strong doubts as to the wisdom of throwing the doors open at a time when the strictest economy will

time when the strictest economy will be necessary to meet the expenses al-ready in sight. Nickell and President Silver spoke in the same veln. Blanch-ard made an effort to save his measure, but it was lost. MEMORIAL TO THE SUPREME COURT.

The following resolutions offered by

Councilman Nickell were adopted, and the City Clerk was directed to trans-mit a copy to the Supreme Court: "To the Honorable, the Chief Jus-tice and the Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of Califor-

nia:
"The City Council of the city of Los Angeles, in session duly convened, speaking for and on behalf of said city, do most respectfully represent to your honorable court, that, "Whereas, less than one year remains

of the franchise granted to the Los Angeles City Water Company, at the expiration of which time the right of piration of which time the right of said company to furnish water to said city and its inhabitants will cease and determine, and whereas the preparation required to be made by said city to as-sume and carry on said work is one of great magnitude, whether the same be accomplished by the purchase of the existing system or the construction of city and its inhabitants, that in either event, new headworks should be promptly constructed by said city as a necessary adjunct to whatever system

avenue and Wall street; Orchard avenue between Adams and Twenty-ninth streets; Twenty-ninth street from Hoover to Howland avenue; also ordinance of intention to establish grade on Basil street from Ann to Sotello on Basil street from Ann to Sotello street; also final ordinance establishing grade of Magnolia avenue from Pico to Washington street; also ordinance granting permission to propertyowners to construct sewer on Seventh street between San Pedro street and Ruth avenue; also ordinance granting permission to property-owners to improve Sunset boulevard from Beaudry avenue to Douglas street.

All of these ordinances were adopted as recommended.

In regard to the contemplated improvement of Date street, from Macy to Qerolo street, the City Engineer reported that it would first be necessary to establish the grade to conform with intersecting streets.

MOTIONS.

on park view from Ninth to Eleventin

On motion of Blanchard Dr. H. N.

Urmy was granted permission to connect the house on the rear of his lot
fronting on State street with the sewer
on Pennsylvania avenue by running
separate pipe line to the curb.

On motion of Toll an ordinance was
passed fixing the tax levy for the current year at \$1.25 in the old city limits
and \$1 in the annexed district.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS The petition of the Turnverein Ger asking for an hourly service after mid

asking for an hourly service after midnight over the street car lines of the city, was referred to the City Attorney to report upon the city's power to compel such service.

Ordinances prepared by the City Attorney for the opening of Hunter street from M. L. Wicks's subdivision to Santa Fé avenue, and for opening an alley from Fourth to Fifth street between Spring and Main, were adopted by the Council.

TOO GOOD.

TOO GOOD. The following report was received from the Committee on Public Morals "Whereas, the morals of our City of the Angels have reached as near fection as may be expected, we the fore see no further use for this mittee, and recommend that this mittee be discharged and stricken the list of standing committees of this

In response to inquiries from othe In response to inquiries from other Councilmen, the three members of the committee, Baker, Grider and Mathuss modestly intimated that they did not claim the entire credit for the present condition of the city's morals, though it was undoubtedly due chiefly to their council of the city's morals.

BIDS FOR PUBLIC IMPROVE MENTS.

MENTS.

The following proposals were received, opened, examined and referred to the Board of Public Works:

To improve Towne avenue from Sixth to Seventh street, Charles Stansbury proposed: Grading and graveling, 83 cents per lineal foot; sidewalk, 10 cents per lineal foot; sidewalk, 10 cents per square foot. Benjamin Lesher proposed: Grading and graveling, 78 cents per lineal foot; gutters, 15 cents per lineal foot; sidewalk, 9½ cents per lineal foot; sewer, 73 cents per lineal foot; conswalks, 75 cents per lineal foot.

S. B. Clayton proposed: Grading and graveling, 69 cents per lineal foot; curb, 28½ cents per lineal foot; curb, 28½ cents per lineal foot; curb, 28½ cents per lineal foot; gutters, 14 28½ cents per lineal foot; gutters, 14 cents per lineal foot; sidewalk, 9-cents per square foot; sewer, 62 cents per lineal foot. L. Brodie proposed: Grading and graveling, 68 cents per lineal foot; curb, 29 cents per lineal foot; sidewalk, 9 cents per square foot; sewer 52½ cents per lineal foot; crosswalks, 80 cents per lineal foot. F. C. Hannon proposed: Grading and graveling, non proposed: Grading and graveling, 79 cents per lineal foot; curb, 29 cents per lineal foot; gutters, 10 cents per lineal foot; sidewalk, 10 cents per square foot; sewer, 87 cents per lineal foot. Frank Gillespie proposed: Grading and graveling, 80 cents per lineal foot; curb, 29 cents per lineal foot; gutters, 13 cents per lineal foot; sidewalk, 94 cents per square foot; sewer, 80

this Council for the best interest of said city and its inhabitants, that in either event. new headworks should be promptly constructed by said city as a necessary adjunct to whatever system may hereafter be operated, and whereas, the title to the lands upon which such headworks should be constructed is not yet vested in this city, but is involved in the litigation now pending in the Supreme Court of this State, in the case entitled. City of Los Angeles vs. A. E. Pomeroy, et al., and whese an only be called to the lands of this State, in the case entitled. City of Los Angeles vs. A. E. Pomeroy, which can only be raised by the issuance and sale of bonds of said city, and this Council is advised that honds for said purpose cannot be issued until the title to the property upon which is finally settled, therefore, be it is and headworks are to be located is finally settled, therefore, be it is and the same may be heard at the cotober term of court to be held in said city, so that a decision of the same may be heard at the cotober term of court to be held in said city, so that a decision of the same may be heard at the cotober term of court to be held in said city, so that a decision of the same may be heard as the cotober term of court to be held in fail to the council provided the council provid posed: Grading and graveling (includ-ing catch basins, etc.) \$1.73 per lineal

foot; curb. 15 cents per lineal foot; gutters. 12 cents per lineal foot. F. C. Hannon proposed: Grading and graveling, \$1.50 per lineal foot; curb, 12½ cents per lineal foot; gutters. 10 cents per lineal foot; gutters. 10 cents per lineal foot; gutters, complete and catch basins, complete, as per plans, \$1. S. B. Clayton proposed: Grading and graveling, \$3.50 per lineal foot; curb, 20 cents per lineal foot; gutters, 20 cents per lineal foot. French & Reed proposed: Grading and graveling, \$1.69 per lineal foot; curb, 18 cents per lineal foot; gutters, 10 cents per lineal foot; crosswalks, 90 cents per lineal foot. curb, 15 cents per lineal foot; ers, 12 cents per lineal foot. F.

To improve Thirtieth street from Hoover street to Orchard avenue, Frank Gillespie proposed: Sidewalk, 10 cents per square foot; crosswalks, 79 cents per lineal foot. L. Brodie proposed: Curb, 30 cents per lineal foot; sidewalk, 9% cents per square foot; crosswalks, 95 cents per lineal foot. S. B. Clayton proposed; Sidewalk, 15 cents per square foot; crosswalks, \$1.50 per lineal foot. Frank Whittier proposed: Sidewalks, 9 cents per square foot; crosswalks, 90 cents per lineal foot. L. Brodie proposed: Sidewalk, 9% cents per square foot;

BIDS FOR SUPPLIES.

per ton, \$7.90; Roslyn coal per ton, \$8 Wellington coal per ton, \$8.50; Anthra lington coal per ton, \$8.50; Anthra-coal per ton, \$13; Pine blocks per of three tiers, '88; pine split per of three tiers, '88. The Cerrillos cite coal per ton, \$13: Pine blocks per cord of three tiers, \$3: pine split per cord of three tiers, \$3: The Certillos Coal Company proposed: Two hundred tons, more or less: Wellington coal, screened, \$9.25 per ton; 200 tons, more per less, Certillos Rituminous coal, screened \$10 per ton; 60 tons more or less, Certillos Anthracite coal, screened, per ton, \$14; 20 cards pine kindling wood, sawed and split as desired, \$11.75 per cord. The Crescent Coal Company proposed: Two hundred tons, more or less, Black Damond lump coal, at \$8 per ton, delivered, or Coal Company proposed: Two defined tons, more or less, Black Diamond lump coal, at \$8 per ton, delivered, or if sacked, 50 cents per ton additional. The Banning Company proposed: Two hundred tons, all lump, hand-picked, South Field Wellington coal, for steam purposes, at \$9.50 per ton; 60 tons of the same grade for heating purposes at \$9.50 per ton. The same coal delivered as it runs from the ship or mine, commonly known as "average coal," no having been screened, at 50 cents less than the above figures. Guenther & than the above figures. Guenther & coal," purposed: One-foot split, pin than the above figures. Guenther a Falk proposed: One-foot spit: pir kindling wood, \$0.45 per cord. Morris Jones proposed: Twenty cords spl kindling wood, at \$9 per cord. All theis bids were referred to the Supply Con

### Afternoon Session.

The hearing of the protest against the proposed sewer on Lake Shore ave-nue aroused considerable discussion. In the proposed sewer on Lake Snore avenue aroused considerable discussion. In behalf of the protestants it was urged that the district affected is thinly settled, there being only seven houses in a distance of 1500 feet. It was said also that property on the street has little value and owners could not afford to pay for a sewer. The Health Officer, however, had reported that urgent sanitary necessity demands that a sewer be built on Palo Alto street, and that Lake Shore avenue affords the only possible outlet. Baker moved. Grider seconding, that the proceedings be abandoned. Nickell opposed the motion, saying that residents of the district are entitled to relief and that the adobe soil renders cesspools an impossibility. Toll took the same view, saying that in sanitary questions the Council should be guided by the Health Officer's opinion. Baker's motion to abandon the proceedings was lost, by a close vote, and the protest was then overruled.

Mathuss moved that the paved alley

overruled.

Mathuss moved that the paved alley between Broadway and Hill and Sixth and Seventh streets be swept once a week. The motion was carried.

An ordinance was adopted ordering the widening of Darwin avenue from Griffin avenue to Thomas street, and H. A. Barraclaugh, Martin Eichhorn and N. E. Davisson were appointed commissioners for making the improvement.

Toll's motion the City Engineer On Toll's motion the City Engineer ras instructed to prepare an ordinance stablishing the grade on a portion of Vest Twenty-seventh street.

E. L. Patterson petitioned the Counil for an extension of ninety days in thich to complete the improvement of unset Boulevard. The request was ranted.

ZANJA, COMMITTEE'S REPORT. The Zanja Committee presented the following report, which was adopted:
"In the matter of the report of the Water Overseer, we recommend (1) that the Water Overseer be instructed that the Water Overseer be instructed to the city Engineer to the water Overseer, we recommend that the Water Overseer be instructed to confer with the City Engineer to the end of devising a new system of dividing the waters of the various zanjas so that the volume of water shall be pro rated to the various ditches in exact proportion; (2) that in selling water in the future only so much be disposed of in advance as can be delivered; (3) that all requests for water from residents within the city limits be fully met under all circumstances and that all renting of ditches to parties outside the city be conditioned upon the fact that the city does not guarantee to furnish them water.

"We recommend that petitions from S. White, from N. E. Oswalk et al., and from Mrs. Olive Keyes et al., regarding the removal of certain ditches, be filed."

be filed.
"In the matter of petition from George R. Murdock et al., asking the removal of a zanja from Santa Monica avenue between Figuerca street and Wesley avenue, we recommend, after a conference with the committee representing the directors of the Agricultural Park Association, that the Water Overseer be instructed to remove the above-mentioned zanja from its present location to a line within the enclosure of the Agricultural Park Association property parallel to Santa Monica avenue, and such location as the park directors may designate, and that the Water Overseer be authorized to make such other changes in connection therewith as shall be found to be necessary, including construction of new well on Figueroa street and piping of zanja to the main entrance at the Agricultural Park, provided the Park Association will give to the city proper assurvenue between Figuerca street an tion will give to the city proper assur-ance that said ditch can remain in the new location during the existence of he park. And we further recommend the park. And we further recommend that in consideration of being allowed the use of so much land as may be necessary for the ditch, the Park Association be allowed the use of water two nights in each month."

CITY HALL NOTES. A petition was yesterday filed with the City Clerk asking that an arc light

be established and maintained at intersection of Wesley avenue and Jef. Street Superintendent Drain has com street superintendent Drain has com-pleted the assessment for the sewer on Ottawa and Georgia streets. The amount is \$942.28. The contract was let to M, Vussich.

### Californian Pensions.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON (D. C.,) Aug. 24.—
Pensions were granted to Californians today as follows:

Pensions were granted to Californians today as follows:
Original, Dougal McEwen, San Francisco; Samuel Weldon, Westside; William Shibley, Pasadena; Michael Bergin, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles; Wolcott P. Marsh (deceased,) Ontario; Joseph C. Gilman, Watsonville; Patrick Usher, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles, Reissue, Edward L. DeHaven, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles; Mathew Fitzgerald, Vallejo. Original widow, etc., Augusta Schmidt, San Luis Obispo; Elizabeth Gardner, Los Angeles; Anna C. Marsh, Ontario. Original minors of Joseph B. Jones, Clements.

Pienie for Poor Children The Salvation Army officers of this city will give the children from some of the poorest parts of the city an outing today to Sania Montea. The Southern Pacific Railroad has given the use of two cars, which will be coupled on to the regular passenger train at 9 o'clock in the norming, and brought back at 4.25 in the evening. At 12 o'clock the children will be treated to a spread of all sorts of fruits, etc., in the barracks at Santa Monica. Staff Captain and Mrs. Dunham will be in charge of the party, and will be assisted by the others of this city.

PATRONS of The Times, old and new who city will give the children from se

PATRONS of The Times, old and new, who pay one year in advance, \$9, for the daily, may have a photograph enlarged and framed in a handsome frame without extra charge. Samples of enlarged pictures and frames may be seen in the Times subscription department, Times Building, this city, or at the Times branch offices in Pasadena, Long Beach, San Pedro, San Bernardino, Riverside, Pomona, Redlands, Santa Barbara and Azusa.

Robert Gardiner of the Jersey Farm Dairy is in no way-connected with the Gardiner who was arrested for selling impure milk. The milk from his dairy bears the highest test from health inspector.

Bids were received to furnish coal and kindling as follows:

Clark Bros. proposed: Gallup coal Investigate. F. E. Browne, 123 E. Fourth st. way. Trunk Factory, 413½ S. Broad-way. Trunks exchanged and repaired.

(AT THE COURT HOUSE.)

### BISHOP DISCHARGED.

MAY DIG FOR GOLD ON THE KLON-DYKE AFTER ALL.

to Evidence Produced to Convict Him of Having Attempted to Defraud His Creditors—An Examination Which Continued for

M. W. Bishop, who was arrested in San Francisco on a warrant is-sued at the instance of the Los Anattempt to defraud his creditors, and whose examination has been pending before Justice Young since Saturday last, was discharged yesterday on the ground that there was a lack of evidence against him

Bishop was charged with having col-lected money after the filing of in-solvency papers and fraudulently devoting a portion of the sum collected to his own use. About two weeks ago Bishop left for the Klondyke, but was arrested at San Francisco by Chief of Police Lees, who had received a telegraphic warrant from Sheriff

Burr.
At the examination an attempt was At the examination an attempt was made to show that Bishop had endeavored to give preference to certain creditors by entering certain interlineations in his books. This, however, the prosecution failed to prove, other books in which the names in question did not appear and in which interlineations were made, being produced. Most of the time devoted to the examination was taken up in hearing expert testimony.

### · SENT UP FOR TWO YEARS.

Result of a Drunken Row Between Railroad Employees.

Manuel Fierro, an employé of the Southern Pacific Company, was sentenced to San Quentin for a term of three years yesterday by Judge Smith. Fierro was arrested for a murderous attack upon a fellow-countryman, Manuel Martinez, several weeks ago. Both were section hands and are ago. Both were section hands, and an un-derstanding had been arrived at that Fierro was to draw Martinez's money and deliver it to him. The two finally met and indulged in several drinks. After imbibling liberally of cheap wine, Martinez demanded that Flerro deliver to him the money due him. The conversation which followed was at conversation which followed was at first jocular, then serious and .t last abusive from both sides, Flerro's blood was finally aroused and he plunged a stiletto into Martinez's breast, inflicting severe injuries. Flerro was arrested, placed under \$2500 bonds and eventually convicted. When brought up for sentence yesterday, Judge' Smith started into deliver. Judge Smith started into Judge Smith started into deliver a scathing rebuke, but it was soon discovered that the man understood rot a word of English and the Judge was about to discontinue his "remarks" when the bailiff announced that an interpreter was present. Judge Smith then proceeded to administer his "roast" by proxy, but, finding that an unsatisfactory means of warning the prisoner against further violations, Judge Smith cut matters short by commanding Fierro to stand up and receive sentence.

### EX-CHURCH TREASURER SUED.

Attorney Foote of Fresno Brings Suit on a Promissory Note Attorney W. D. Foote of Fresno has rought suit against W. P. Haber, local real estate and insurance agent, to recover \$500 on a promissory note said to have been issued by the latter in behalf of the First Baptist Church of Fresno, of which Haber

Haber was a prominent member of the church, among the supporters of the church, among the supporters of which a desperate quarrel sprung up. Many of the members withdrew and funds grew short. Haber borrowed \$500 from Seymour May, a member of the church, and gave him a personal note. May held the note for some time, and then transferred it to Dr. Eshelman, who is praintiff in a mortgage suit against the church corporation.

tion.

About a year ago the church was destroyed by fire under suspicious circumstances, and the congregation, including Haber, scattered. The note issued by Haber finally got into the hands of Attorney Foote, who is the plaintiff in the present suit.

Two Examinations Before Judge

Van Dyke Yesterday. Two women were brought before Judge Van Dyke yesterday for exami-nation on charges of insanity. The first, Theodocia Sepulveda, was discharged, as her mental condition did not appear such as to require treatment at the hospital at Highland. Bertha A. Goodrich was committed after a brief examination.

Both were residents of this city.

### MORE TIME.

Gue Ting's Case Continued Until

Saturday Next. The trial of Gue Ting, who was recently arrested on a charge of stealing a diamond ring, valued at \$85, from

urday next at 3 p.m.

The property alleged to have been stolen belonged to one Wong Tong SI, who asserts that Gue Ting robbed him or the ring while ostensibly paying him a friendly visit.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM. Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown into the Courts.

WANTS HER BARLEY. Mary A. Pritchard of Northam's Station, Orange county, entered suit against John Scott demanding possession of 6275 sacks of barley, or \$4659.60. The complaint albarley, or \$4608.60. The complaint alleges that Scott came into possession of the barley as trustee; that he subsequently sold the grain for 67½ cents, but returned to plaintiff only 47½ cents, claiming that to have been the price received. Mrs. Pritchard sues for the

difference.
GUARDIANSHIP. Mrs. Antoinette
Grimand has filed a petition for appointment as guardian of her three
minor daughters.

SCARCER THAN HEN'S TEETH

are pure Havana cigars, but there are plenty of the "so-called" in evidence. The manu-

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have occurred during the present

subjected to actual physical violence

while threa's of violence have been

common. The marching of the strikers

chief object the intimidation of the

men at work: otherwise it would have

and cannot justly recognize the right

of any man or aggregation of men to

men. How, then, could the courts

march in the vicinity of the mines?

appears from the consensus of reports

on the subject that the men who have

struck for better wages have a real

grievance in the ridiculously low

wages paid, which are scarcely suffi-

cient in many cases, if report to true,

to keep soul and body together, to say

nothing of supporting families. If such

conditions really exist as are said to

exist in the coal-mining regions, the

fact of their existence is a disgrace to

the American republic. The Labor

Commissioner of the United States is

clothed with power to investigate

these conditions, and to make them

known, by official report, to the whole

world. A complete statement of the

existing facts in this matter, from a

reliable official source, would be an

important preliminary step in the di-

rection of applying a remedy. It is

not improbable that such an investiga-

tion may be undertaken by the Bureau

But in the mean time, whatever may

be the wrongs of the coal-miners, they

are not to be redressed by disregard-

ing the rights of other men, who, in

common with themselves, are entitled

to the full protection of the law and

the courts in the exercise of their law-

ful right as men and citizens. The

law is for all, and must be obeyed by

all. The mine operators have a right

to induce men, by peaceable means,

to work for them if they can do so.

The strikers have a right to induce

men, by peaceable means, not to work

for the mine-owners. But lawful per-

suasion ceases where coercion or in-

once open the door to the latter, and

SUFFERING IN ALASKA.

The latest reports from Alaska in-

dicate that the fears expressed by re-

who were familiar with the great

hardships attendant upon a trip to

the new El Dorado, were well founded.

Several thousands of men are now

on the way to the gold fields, but the

prospects are that not one in ten will

reach the objective point. Dawson

City, this season; and those who do

reach Dawson City will find only dis-

appointment and hardship awaiting

them. Every foot of gold-bearing land

in that region has been taken up

and the newcomers will be obliged to

prospect other territory. Provisions

will be very scarce, and there is dan-

ger that the horrors of starvation

may be added to the hardships inci-

Those en route will suffer ever

greater hardships than will fall to the

lot of those who succeed in reaching

the gold fields. The long Arctic win-

ter will close in upon them by the

middle of September, and the difficul-

ties of returning will be almost or

quite as great as the difficulties of go-

ing forward. The result will be un-

told suffering and privation, and death

This is the tragic side of the story.

Unfortunately, the eager searchers for

the golden fleece see only the bright

side, and learn the truth only when

it is brought home to them in the terrible school of actual experience.

A correspondent of THE TIMES calls

attention to the fact that the South-

ern Pacific has revamped its unholy

scheme to double-track Alameda

many tracks on that street, and any

increase of the number should be op-

posed with persistency. The talk that

another track there would decrease the

danger to the public is such nonsense

as to merit neither consideration no

discussion. It is easier to dodge trains going but one way on a street than

as everybody knows. Let our city offi-

cials keep their eyes on this scheme

Chicago is discussing the question

of disposing of the Chicago River.

put pillars under it and use it for an

How would it do to lift it up

and give it the kibosh.

There is already one too

dental to the climate.

by others

the reign of chaos will begin.

timidation begins. Let the courts

of Labor in the near future.

the hands of bands of strikers,

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"JUDICIAL USURPATION."

Wharton Barker, in the Philadelphia American, discussing the injunctions issued by the Federal judges in the coal-strike cases in the Pittsburgh district, says:

"Thus we have the courts not only usurping executive functions, but usurping such functions to the end of strengthening the hands of the opera-tors and weakening the hands of the miners, restraining the strikers who have not trespassed on the rights of any one and becoming trespassers themselves. They have held that the operators have a right to induce men to take the places of the strikers, which is right, but they have denied the equal right of the strikers to induce such men to quit work and join the strike, which is wrong. To protect the operator in the enjoyment of tect the operator in the enjoyment of his right to induce men to take the places of the strikers while restraining the strikers from inducing such men to quit work is a grievous injustice; it is giving aid to the operator to fill the places of the strikers, crush the strike and force the strikers back into worse conditions than ever, while worse conditions than ever, while denying to the strikers the right to protect themselves; it is an avowal of weak have no rights the powerful are bound to respect; of those principles of modern oligarchy, that the rights of ty are superior to the rights of that men have no rights that capital must respect; that the interests of capital are to be conserved at the

This statement is an extreme and ar incorrect view of the situation, as THE TIMES understands it. It does not appear from the published accounts of these injunction cases that the courts have usurped any functions which do not belong to them. It appears that the strikers had trespassed upon lands belonging to the operators, and that the courts very properly enjoined them from trespassing further upon private Surely, there was no usurpation in this. It is one of the legitimate and proper functions of the courts to uphold the rights of private property, and if they failed to do so they would fail in the discharge of their duties.

The striking miners have no mor right to trespass upon the property of to enter the homes of the miners without leave. If the mine-owners should presume to set foot in the homes of the strikers, singly or in force, for the purpose of intimidating them or in any wise coercing them into resuming work, the courts would promptly and properly enjoin them from pursuing any such course. The trespass of the miners upon the property of the mine-owners was for the purpose of intimidating the men at work, and inducing them, principally through fear of injury, to quit work. Does Wharton Barker or anybody else really believe that the right to strike or quit work (which nobody questions) in-cludes also a right to trespass upon the property of others and to intimidate men who are desirous of work-

The order of the court restraining the men from marching in the vicinity of the mines seems to have been intended solely to protect the men who lesire to work against intimidation by the strikers. Men who desire to work certainly have a lawful right to do the civil authorities when that right is menaced. Several instances OBEDIENCE TO THE LAW.

The "prominent saloon man" who says that the howl about the Sunday aw comes from the transportation lines, who are anxious to make the Sabbath in town so dull that people will go to the beaches, should remember that the first duty of the good citizen is to obey the law, no matter what interest it favors, until such time as it is changed, if the change can be accomplished.

As to the saloons that make a trav esty of the law by offering a wormy sandwich, which has done duty al summer, to the man who buys a drink, their conduct is disgraceful. They would be quick to call upon the authorities to protect them against a till-tapper or the raid of a mob, but they snap their fingers at those same authorities when the law demands the closing of their places of business at certain hours and on certain days

This thing of obeying only such laws as please the august mightiness of some people is a sad reflection upor our capacity for self-government. The saloons that habitually evade the Sunday-closing ordinance ought to forfeit their licenses, and their proprietors should never be permitted to have another liquor-selling right in Los strike in which men who have taken the places of strikers have been

A technical observance of the law is worse than an open negligence of it just as the sneak-thief is always a more despicable criminal than the train-robber. The laws should be in the vicinity of the mines had for its obeyed; those who disobey them should be punished. No middle course is to be tolerated. Something should be been purposeless. The law does not done to raise the standard of thinking so that the law-breaker can be put upon the plane of the criminal, where intimidate any other man or class of belongs, no matter what the character of the enactment he disregards have done otherwise than to deny to This does not take the question into the strikers the right to assemble or consideration whether a law be good or bad, but stands fast at the princi All this is aside from the real merits of the questions at issue between the exist must and shall be obeyed! strikers and the mine operators. It

Those who are interested in the question of the overflow of rivers will find interesting information in an illustrated pamphlet that has just been issued by the Engineering News Publishing Company of New York, en-"The Floods of the Mississippi River." The author, William Starling, who is chief engineer of a levee dis trict in Mississippi, describes the principal causes and effect of these floods and outlines the levee system, also other means proposed and tried for the control of the river. Included in the pamphlet is a description of the to San Francisco last night." great flood of this year.

The latest reports from the northwestern gold fields indicate that if a man gets rich up there he will have to work for it. This gives one's attack of the fever a sudden chill. If the nuggets cannot be raked off the crust of the snow with a road-scraper, we might as well stay here and work, where there isn't any snow. What the most of us want is for somebody to discover a gold field where the yellow treasure may be shoveled up in washtub lots, without the trouble of sluicing. When that find is made, count us in the rush, with a large R.

Santa Ana is going to have a bargain week. This is an outrage which should not be permitted, and Anaheim and Fullerton and Westminster and the other towns down in Orange county, should rise up in their wrath and wipe the county seat off the map. How dare Santa Ana attempt to draw trade in this way and sell things to the people at cut prices? Was there ever anything like it? Call out the

The people who get up relief expeditions are going to have their hands full this winter-one to succor the starving Klondykers, one to find Andree and a third to rescue Peary from an ice pack somewhere in that hyperborean region where the walrus and the large white bear play tag among the icebergs. Forward your subscrip tions early.

Rev. Sam Jones's living-pictur scheme for the exhibition of vice gives Mr. Ward a chance to secure a profitable engagement, which he now has an opportunity to accept, as Judge Cook of San Francisco has hearkened to his cry of: "Oh, Mr. Johnson, turn me loose; I's a right bad nigger wid a good excuse.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Herald, comes down-not very far down, to be sure, but far enough to show that it has got a few figures of the returns from the back counties It says: "Contrasted with what has been, we now have a degree of prosperity." For this generous concession much thanks.

If you do not see Joaquin Miller's picture in the San Francisco Examner daily, it is some other paper you are looking at. The latest portrait of him represents the poet in the deadly act of hunting a moose that wasn't there. But you can bet that Joaquin was right on the spot-likewise Mr. Liverpad.

to be made up of "bewares." "beware of White's pass;" "beware of "beware of Cook's Inlet;" beware of Chilcoot;" and, last of all, "beware of Klondyke," for it is tougher than rawhide. All right; we will consider ourselves bewared.

President Faure is to be welcomed home from Russia today by a city decorated up to the last gasp of color spasm, and the Anarchists will also

ing thing about it is the confirmation of the idea in the public mind that the Bender family is no more. Had that famous outfit continued on earth, the increase in population would have been so slight as to make the taking of census entirely unnecessary. There wouldn't have been any to take

The Wam Wams are coming in off the range, much to the peace of mind of the settlers in the frontier districts who have hens that they want to keep. When the tribe of Wam Wams get on the hen warpath the egg crop has a mighty poor show to reach the age of maturity.

There was a game of baseball at Bakersfield last Sunday which the re-porter of it called "a-life-and-death struggle," but it does not seem as it there could have been much life about the Fresno team's end of it, as the score stood 21 to 9, in favor of the

Mr. Bryan has reached Nebraska but while he was away prosperity sneaked in and took possession of the State. It remains to be seen whether there is room for both of them on the same spot at the same time. As for us, we are backing old pros. with our

England is inclined to sneer at the suggestion of an alliance between France and Russia, but it would be wiser to put its sneers on ice and go to building more ships and buying more guns with large holes into 'em from old man Krupp.

The newspaper correspondents in Alaska continue to yell to the man with the Klondycitis: "Wait till spring;" and some of these later stories from up there make one feel like waiting until 198 years from next

There is not much gold coming out of Alaska these days, but it is a mighty lucky old steamer that does not come puffing and rolling into the port of San Francisco loaded to the guards with language by Joaquin Mil-

A live octopus has been placed in the New York Aquarium. He is probably the long-lost brother of Uncle Collis, who ought to call around and see if the new arrival hasn't a strawberry mark on his nineteenth arm.

A personal in THE TIMES yesterday made mention of the fact that "there was an emigration of prize-fighters probably noticed the improvement in the atmosphere hereabouts.

Star Pointer has smashed every thing in the way of records by pacing a mile in 1:5914. Now that the lessthan-two-minute horse has been bred, hurrah for the minute-and-a-half horse!

Mr. Bryan rises to remark that prosperity has come in spite of the Republican tariff and the success of the gold party." Likewise, Mr. Bryan, in spite of Mr. Bryan-sly as you keep it.

The English-speaking miners not seem to have much show in the coal regions, which is as we thought. The whole trouble is probably summed up in this one fact.

It takes copious applications of blis terine to find gold, even in Klondyke This is a point that the man who has the gold fever surging through his veins should not overlook.

The actor-people who have deserted the legitimate stage for vaudeville are finding that it is about as hard to get back as it is for a hungry argonaut to

When John L. Sullivan runs for Mayor of Boston it will probably be upon a platform which holds for the free and unlimited coinage of booze.

The St. Paul Pioneer Press prints this happy couplet-"Little boy Bryan, come blow your horn, The wheat's going up and so is the corn."

Catalina is reveling in "watermelor parties," but our colored brethren continue to be the watermelon party on this side the salty drink.

Atchison, Kan., is going to have corn carnival. The chiropodists ought to hold a convention there at the

An esteemed contemporary has an article on "how to cure tobacco." not try smoking?

No wonder Alaska is full of hard citizens. That is the way it freezes them up.

Joaquin Miller belies his name; he is riding down the Yukon River in a

ONLY A LITTLE LEAK. But it Caused Much Excitement and a Few Accidents.

A leaking gas pipe was the cause of a great commotion and almost a series of casualties shortly before the noon hour yesterday. A plumber was looking for a leak in a building used as a restau-rant at No. 107 South San Pedro street.

rant at No. 107 South San Pedro street. He found the leak with a lighted torch, but so much gas had already escaped that it was ignited and an explosion resulted.

The plumber was not injured, but William Taylor, a colored man who runs the Manhattan Club, in the neighborhood of the place where the explosion occurred, was oversome by gas while fighting the flames.

Three alarms of fire were rung in, and the department promptly responded with Assistant Fire Chief Ed Smith at the head. Smith's wagon collided with a hay press on the way to the fire and he was thrown out, but not injured. His horse, however, was badly used up.

be on hand with a few of their choicest and most highly-ornate bombs. "Twill be a hot time in the old town tonight."

After over twenty years the story of the fate of the Bender family has come to light; but the most interest-

## SCHOOL TERM

WILL BEGIN IN LOS ANGELES LATE IN SEPTEMBER.

Climatic Conditions Fully Discusse by the Board of Education.

REDUCTION IN TEACHERS' PAY

MR. BRALY TRIES TO GET THE FULL SALARIES RESTORED.

Comparatively Peaceful Board Meeting-Only a Few Di cussions to Enliven the Proceedings.

Except for an occasional sputter, just by way of being natural and sociable the members of the Board of Education were comparatively quiet and tame last night, when the adjourned meet-ing took place for the purpose of dis-cussing the date for the opening of the public schools.

President Mathis was absent, and the whose rulings were marked tain edged decisiveness which may have attracted the dove of peace that

seemed to brood over the meeting.
The first business to be taken up was
the report of the Committee on Jani-tors, which recommended that the janitors in the public schools should be gin the work of putting the buildings in order two weeks before the beginning of the school term. The report was

It was then moved by Mr. Webb that the motion which recommended the opening of the schools on September 27 be taken from the table and carried. Mr. Braly asked why the time of opening should be postponed until when provision had been made in the estimates for ten months school. Mr. Webb retorted that a number of business men of his acquaintance were opposed to ten months of
school, and that, for his part, he could
not see why they should have it this
year, when funds were short in any
case. Mr. Braly then referred to the
conference of the Finance Committee
at which the salaries of the teachers
were reduced on account of the proposed ten months of school. By the
cut in salaries, which became necesschool. Mr. Webb retorted that a numin salaries, which became neces, in order to make the money in hand spread over the ten months the school term, each teacher wo lose \$5.50 a month in any case. No

hand spread over the ten months of the school term, each teacher would lose \$5.50 a month in any case. Now, if the school year were to be reduced to nine months and a fraction, the teachers would lose a whole month's salary, in addition to the reduction. Mr. Braly therefore moved the restoration of salaries to the original figure, urging that, with the shortened term, there would be money enough to cover the expense.

Here the chairman interposed with a question concerning climatic conditions and their effect upon the early or late opening of school, and Mr. Braly launched upon a discussion of the Los Angeles climate, which was brought to a period by Mr. Webb, who sarcastically demanded to be informed whether or not Mr. Braly had gone before the City Council with a plea for more money, and how he could now reconcile it with his conscience to say that there was enough for the restoration of salaries and a ten months' term. Then Mr. Poor took a hand and entered a plea for the early opening of school on behalf of the poorer class of children, who were running on the sireets instead of living at the beaches, and who would be far better off in school. So the discussion went on, and all the pros and cons were thrashed out once and again. Mr. Braly spoke in melancholy fashion of the care with which he had gone over the estimates of the Finance Committee, only to get \$16,000 less than he had asked for, and Mr. Davis proposed that they should take a vote on climatic conditions.

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A recess was then taken to discuss the climate in all its dire effect on the youthful students. After it had been sufficiently discussed, the vote was taken, resulting in five ayes and two nays on the proposal to delay the opening of school until September 27. At this juncture, Mr. McInerney awoke to the fact that something was going on, and asked to have the financial situation explained to him all over again, that he might know how to yote on it.

that he might know how to vote on it. The chairman patiently reminded him that the financial question was, for the present, in abeyance, and that the board was voting on climate. Then climate had to be explained, and finally Mr. McInerney got wound up to the pitch of making a decision. Wisely deciding to vote with the majority, he added his "aye" to the vote in favor of opening the schools on September 27, leaving Mr. Braly, who wanted September 13, and Mr. Poor, who wanted September 13, and Mr. Poor, who wanted September 13, in a hopeless minority. Mr. Braly then read the report of the Finance Committee, the same which had been read and acted upon by the City Council earlier in the day. After some commenting, the report was received and adopted.

In behalf of Mr. Conrey, Mr. Davis presented a resolution providing that, in addition to the plans heretofore proposed by the board for additional grounds for school buildings, to be included in the proposed estimates for bonds, that the sum of \$5000 should be provided for additional grounds for the Center-street school, and that the president and secretary be instructed to transmit this request to the City Council. The motion to adopt was carried.

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The following request to the City Council was also approved:

"In view of the fact that public interest and the necessity of the people of the city of Los Angeles demand the building and equipping of certain school buildings heretofore erected, and that lands be acquired upon which to build such schoolhouses, the cost of which will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary income and revenue of said schools, and that your honorable body.

"This request is made for reasons above stated, and as the necessities of the school department for more school room is causing endless embarrassment, we would respectfully request that no further delay be had in calling the election be called at once in accordance with our estimate already adopted by your hono

proper that an investigation should be made before appointing any one. Although Mr. Davis's remarks were dispassionate and strictly impersonal. made before appointing any one.
Although Mr. Davis's remarks were dispassionate and strictly impersonal. Mr. Webb's sensitive nature seemed to be wounded to the quick at the idea of any member of the board being capable of making any appointment with an eye to political influence. He expressed his grief so touchingly that everybody sat up and looked interested, while Mr. Davis smiled blandly into vacancy, and the chairman dryly observed that some gentleman seemed to be unhappy for want of a debate over something. As no one picked up the gauntlet so gallantly flung by Mr. Webb, or attempted to impeach the political disinterestedness of each and every member of the Board of Education, the motion to lay Mr. Davis's motion on the table was put, and resulted in a tie vote. The motion itself was then put, and another tie vote was the result, Webb, Bartlett, Adams and McInerney all saying "Nay, nay." Mr. Webb's anxiety to dispose of the obnoxious motion was so great that he tried to kill it over again by jumping up and protesting vehemently that it was lost by

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Mr. Braly made another struggle for the restoration of the teachers' salaries, but the motion was ruled out of order. Mr. Webb hastily reached for his hat, and moved to adjourn. For once, that "aye" was unanimous, and in five minutes the board had scattered to think up fresh subjects of dispute for a real, old-fashioned scrap next time.

## The Nlayhouses

ORPHEUM. Papinta, in her dances that are riotous with color and instinct with grace, continues a star feature in the bill at this theater, and she never the oil at this theater, and she heter fails to win a generous meed of ap-plause. Her fire dance is a wonder-fully startling and striking illusion, whose beauty and realism never tires.

plause. Her fire dance is a wonderfully startling and striking illusion, whose beauty and realism never tires. Her introductory dance, "El Capitan," is captivating with dash, grace and coquettry, and her entire performance is something that one may see again and again with keen interest.

The Nichols sisters are a smashing pair of burnt-cork comediennes, who can dance with the genuine dark zip and swing, and who talk darkey talk as the "cullud ladies" do down on the old plantations. Their singing is the least attractive feature of their turn, principally because their selection was not a happy one, but they are all right and have "caught on."

John C. Fox and Katie Allen do a rather clever sketch called "In the Flat Next Door," which is enhanced in value by Miss Allen's gingery dancing in the finale.

The three Rackett brothers do a clever musical turn on all sorts of odd instruments, but the alleged comedian of the trio is painfully "unfunny." So long as Ernie Rackett sings with h s musical bases and the team confine themselves to musical features, their turn is not only good from the music point of view, but it is novel as well. The hand balancing of the junior member of the team on an ordinary walking stick is a great feat.

Gus Williams has a fund of new witticisms and songs for this week, and does a couple of recitations in his very taking and clever way, but his opening song is dolorously commonplace, and the story about his lean gift Lena is more than a "twice told tale." He is too clever a camedian to repeat a portion of his programme a second week, no matter how funny it was the first time we heard it.

Hilda Thomas, in a gown that made the ladies "Ah!" with delight, does her usually neat work, assisted by Frank Barry, who fills up the background, and Francelli and Lewis close the show, while a goodly portion of the suddence disturb everybody else by their haste to make an exit. The question of nobless oblige comes in here, but it were probably useless to speak of it. Romandy has arranged a number of B

BURBANK THEATER. A huge audience, packing the balcony and gallery and comfortably filling the orchestra, greeted the initial performance of Ada Lee Bascom's successful melodrama, "A Bowery Girl," at the Burbank last evening. The piece, which is laid along the old familiar lines, is yet attractively built, and opens up opportunities for any amount of thrilling and realistic situations, while introduced at frequent intervals, to entry and make no opportunities for any amount of thrilling and realistic situations, while introduced at frequent intervals, to enliven the natural somberness of melodramatic blood and thunder, are songs, dances and specialities that go far toward making the success of the performance. Gracie Plaisted as Nora Hallihan, a Bowery society leader, with a heart of solid gold beneath a tough exterior, has a part, it is needless to say, that fits her like a glove, and which she plays with all her own irresistible spirit. Her interpolated songs were received with rounds of, applause and not-to-be-denied encores. Miss Mina Gleason as the lost helress, the persecuted prey of a pair of murderous dagos, sustains her part with considerable force, while Miss Addle Grove, as a Bowery girl, as pretty as she is tough, makes the most of her part. Little Bessie Buskirk, the wonderful child actress, is one of the most attractive features of the piece. Frederic Tjader, as the son of a rich brewer, with a taste for Bowery society, is good, as he always is, and the recitations introduced by him in the first act are a very jolly addition to the entertainment. The pair of gutter Italians, impersonated by Miss Hattle Foley and H. Howard are inimitable character sketches, and are given with artistic touches that place them among the best features of the plece. Versatile Dick Sullivan as Swipesey, the Bowery bootblack, carries off his part with his accustomed ease, and in his interpolated song, with the able assistance of a property infant, drew forth howls of delight and demands for more. Charles Thornton, as the Irish ruler of the Fourth Ward, Norval McGregor as the rescuer of the persecuted, Pletro Sosso as the villain and Adde Sharpann as the neglected. Irish ruler of the Fourth Ward. Norval McGregor as the rescuer of the persecuted, Pletro Sosso as the villain and Adah Sherman as the neglected wife, all filled their parts acceptably. L. Behymer, the popular treasurer, will be given a grand testimonial benefit by Manager Pearson on Wednesday evening, September 8, to take the place of the testimonial which was interfered with by the fire from which the theater recently suffered. Seats are now on sale for the performance.

### MOONSHINER RAID.

Two Deputies Killed, Two Wounder (ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.,) Aug. 30.— Two deputy marshals are dead, two Two deputy marshals are dead, two more seriously wounded and two others missing as a result of the raid upon the posse of officers by a gang of desperate moonshiners in Searcy county. The officers were within thirty yards of the illicit distillery in the mountains about thirty-five miles from Russellville when the moonshiners fixed from ambush. Russellville when fired from ambush.

German Railroad Collision BERLIN, Aug. 30 .- Three locomotiv

## THE BOOKS A HASH.

CAPITALIST GRIFFITH TALKS ABOUT HIS BIRD.

Now Convinced That His Confidence in Rhenodyne Was Misplaced.

BILLS KEEP POURING IN

WILL TAKE ACTION AS SOON AS THE EXPERT IS THROUGH.

Much for the Little Money Lost os He Does for the Manner in Which He Was Deceived.

"Rhenodyne A. Bird is an ungrateful man," said Griffith J. Griffith last night. "I can't call him a thief," he added, "because his books are a mystery, a perfect hash of entries and non-entries, them I don't know what the fellow has done, except that I do know he has done neither myself nor my clentis a great amount of harm financially."

"But, Mr. Griffith, a week ago when questioned on the subject you rather

bok Bird's part. "I know I did, I know I did. That's right. Get in and tell me I was a chump and a good thing. I won't kick. I deserve it. But, honestly, a week ago I didn't believe that Bird had been faithful to me. When I first hired the man people cursed him, told me his record and all that and I just made

up my mind that if Bird wanted to do what was right, I would give him a show and I did.

"But he's crooked? Why that fellow has been going along doing things day after day and night after night that have hurt my business. I didn't know it. I tell you, I trusted the fellow. I wanted to see him get along. He couldn't make too much money to suit me. I gave him every position I could and I know of months where he has made more than \$200.

"Now here," continued Mr. Griffith, "I want you to understand this. Bird at the best has only taken a few hundred if he has taken anything. It isn't the money that he has taken that makes me mad, but it is the way he has treated me and the way he has hashed up my books. Had Bird come to me four months ago and told me he was short I could have forgiven him, but to compel me to wade through his books the way we are having to do it, tells me that Bird doesn't know how to appreciate a friend. I knew of his past record; knew that he had been sent to San Quentin for embezzling his firm's funds, but I gave him the chance more on account of his family than anything else in the start. But Bird proved so shrewd, so apt, so competent, that I kept him for his own sake, and now he repays me this way. It's enough to make a man weary, aint it?"

"Do you know how Bird wasted his money, Mr. Griffith?" was asked.

"Know? Certainly not. I can make a pretty good guess, though. Bouquet bills for \$50, hack bills for \$80, wine bills, etc., come pretty near telling the story. But I don't want to talk about the man, honestly, I don't. Why, I was out to the house the other day and saw his wife and bables. The last time I had seen his oldest child was when I took her to the circus as one of a party of eleven little ones that I put in a tally-ho coach and drove to the tents. Never had more fun in my life, and never spent a five I was so honestly happy in spending as when I bought red lemonade, peanuts and popcorn for those bables.

"To go out there the other day and meet that child, knowing what I did, just

all the time. Bird will hear from me and make no mistake."

As is well known, Mr. Griffith took Bird in hand knowing his record and, as he says, has been a good friend to him, but the time has passed when he will longer put up with his "peculiarities," as Bird calls them. The men who have uncollected bills are simply pocketing their losses so far as seen. The hackman with his \$\$0 bill said last night: "I can't help it. He has got the service. In this snipe shoot I seem to night: "I can't help it. He has got the service. In this snipe shoot I seem to be the fellow that holds the bag, and I guess that is all I will get."

Bird is still at large and apparently fears no consequences of anything he may have done.

### CONVOYS ATTACKED.

Fanatics in Need of Provisions and

Ammunition.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) NEW YORK, Aug. 30 .- A dispatch that advices from Rio de Janeiro state of provisions and ammunition in th interior a few days ago, and a bloody natile followed. The fanatics were forced to retire, after severe losses. The Brazilian troops had twenty-eight

The Brazilian troops had twenty-eight officers wounded.

The fanatics are now reorganizing their forces, and another attack on convoys is expected, as the fanatics are in need of ammunition.

## DR. PRICE'S



Above represents the official Medal awarded Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder by World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, '93.
The fame achieved at all the Great Fairs rests solely on its merits as the strongest purest and best of all the baking powders

and truly stamps Dr. Price's as "The foremost baking powder in all the world."

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Aug. 30.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer 'res-istered 29.98; at 5 p.m., 29.89. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 56 deg. and 74 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 68 per cent.; 5 p.m., 54 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, ve-locity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 83 deg.; minimum temperature, 54 deg. Characinimum temperature, 54 deg. Charac-

Barometer reduced to sea level.

Pasadena is a quiet, easy-going, nonspectacular town, and her citizens are not given to making sensations for the newspapers, but once in awhile Pasa dena breaks out unexpectedly and startles the world with some fantastic and utterly unprecedented occurrence. She broke out last night in the most extraordinary manner. Her militiamen had a fight.

Reports from abroad are emphatic in asserting that there is an enormous market in Germany for California dried fruits, if properly introduced and han dled. If some strong exchange would make a regular business of packing first-quality fruit for the foreign markets, and seeing that it is properly placed before the German public, Cal-ifornia orchards might soon be above par as money-making enterprises, and there would be no more talk of over-supply and of glutting the market.

Some weeks ago, Papa Kingery's loomer girl dopped her sleeves, neckerchief and blue flannel pantalettes, and now kicks joyously in the old or-iginal pink tights and abbreviated lace frills. Yesterday, the Committee on Public Morals took in its sign and went out of the business of moralizing, for the reason that the present mora standard of Los Angeles is so high that no censorship is needed. No wonder the poster girl wears a cheerful grin. Civil legislation is sometimes funnier than it knows.

Some valuable suggestions were made by the Finance Committee of the City Council in the report presented yester day. Hitherto there has been great laxity in the disbursement of city funds, and the different departments have been habitually permitted to overdraw their appropriations. A sys-tem of checks is proposed by the Finauce Committee which will prevent extravagance and ensure the administration of the city's affairs on a business basis. Business methods are absolutely necessary, for it will be, at best, a difficult thing to make ends meet this year.

### EDWIN PRATT RESIGNS.

ANOTHER OLD EMPLOYEE OF THE ELECTRIC COMPANY GOES.

Was Dissutisfied With the Place. The Millers, Father and Son Visit Los Angeles and Investigate-Other Changes Rumored.

Matters and things at the offices o the Los Angeles Electric Company and the Los Angeles Lighting Company are somewhat puzzling just now.

These two companies are practically

consolidated, so far as business is con-cerned, and have their offices together. It was from these offices that W. R. Blackman, for years the trusted secretary and treasurer of the companies, left a few weeks ago a defaulter and embezzier of thousands of dollars. And from the same offices Capt. Bolton, another old-time and trusted employe, went a few days ago to fill a suicide's grave. But Bolton had no blot upon his ledger to be crased. His cash was right, his books balanced.

his ledger to be erased. His cash was right, his books balanced.

Now comes another charge. Edwin W. Pratt, for seven years the confidential man in the offices, has resigned and will on Monday next accept a position with another company, equal in importaice to the one he has left.

Just why Mr. Pratt resigned was a subject of gossip among business men yesterday. It was well known that his duties were such that he could in no way be connected with the cash account, and people wondered why it was that he left a place so difficult to win even with years of service as a recommendation. Mr. Pratt refuses to talk. He will not say why he resigned other than that he wanted the place no longer under present conditions. He is a man of ample means outside his employment, but has always been looked upon as a "fixture," as commercial men say, in the offices he has just left.

In this connection it may be re-

upon as a "fixture," as commercial men say, in the offices he has just left.

In this connection it may be remarked that Albert Miller and his son, C. O. G. Miller of San Francisco, who are the largest stockholders in the Los Angeles Electric Company and the Los Angeles Electric Company and the Los Angeles Lighting Company, have been here for several days investigating matters. Mr. Pratt had resigned before their arrival and it is understood that, among other things, the gentlemen named investigated the reasons for the sudden desertion of their oldest employés. Both the Messrs, Miller declined to be interviewed. They were guests of the California Club and sought the seclusion that the club affords, whenever called upon. That they looked closely into their affairs here is known and it is rumored that other changes in the offices of the electric company will be made in the near future. Certain it is that Mr. Miller expressed himself as anything but pleased over the trend of events as affecting his companies, and wanted to know the why of all of it. Whether he obtained the knowledge sought is a matter of confecture.

It is stated that others beside Mr. Pratt employed in the offices resigned on, Saturday night, but if so the men occupied "subordinate positions and nothing was heard on the street, of their voluntary removal from the staff.

A general shake-up in the offices of the companies is predicted by the knowing ones, but they have, apparently, nothing more firm on which to base their prediction that the visit of Mr. Miller and his expressions of dissatisfaction.

Forest Fires Near Anneonda. ANACONDA, Aug. 30.—Fierce forest fires are raging a few miles west of here and spreading with alarming rapidity toward this city. Over ten thousand acres of timber are already burned. Georgetown and Silver Lake are both in the trail of the fire, and unless the flames are checked, great loss of life and property may result. Much anxiety is felt, but no action has been taken yet.

CARD OF THANKS. eaved family and relatives of Frank desire to publicly express their appreciation of the many kind-ich the friends in their sympathy in in their late bergavement, and RAILROAD RECORD.

TO AGAIN BURN OIL.

THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC MAY RE

All Roads Working for the Suburban Trade - Gregory and His Lions-Santa Fe People in New

The report that the Southern Pacific Railroad is about to return to the use of crude petroleum upon the engines pulling the local trains in and out of this city has caused quite a stir among the oil men of the city. "I do not care to be quoted in the

matter," said a prominent Southern Pacific man yesterday, "but I will say this: All the machinery we at one time had in use for oil burning on our engines is practically intact and could be replaced on the locomotives at a comparatively small cost. But you know a burned child dreads the fire,

know a burned child dreads the fire, and the Southern Pacific is going to be in no hurry about resuming crude petroleum as fuel instead of coal. When the company tried it before, the oil men rushed up the price of their product until it was a paying proposition to return to the use of coal, and the company does not care to undergo another like experience, even if the oil is cheaper and better.

"No railroad company is going to put itself into the hands of a lot of people who will tighten the screws every chance they get. The Southern Pacific Company has oil wells of its own, but the supply therefrom is not great enough to admit of running locomotives with oil fuel without additional supply. You can say that the Southern Pacific has under consideration the resumption of oil as fuel, but also that nothing definite has been decided upon."

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While the announcement of changes in officers and offices on the Santa Fé Pacific and Southern California lines was made to go into effect September I, still all the people affected went to work yesterday moving and house cleaning. Superintendent Wells is installed in his new quarters, and Drs. Morrison and Wing are located in the new quarters on the fourth floor of the Bradbury Block. The surgeons seem satisfied with the change, but their secretary has petitioned the agent of the building to have the walls of the court, on which her windows open frescoed with street scenes, with a Klondyke glacier here and there as a matter of variety.

The concentration of the head offices of the western main line of the Santa Fé and the Coast branches in this city will make the detail work of the various departments much easier on the men and it will be much more quickly dispatched, as now a disputed claim or a request needs but to be carried from one office to another, a few feet away, instead of being sent half across the State by mail, only to be returned in the same way for further information, then sent back and, by and by, finally delivered.

GREGORY'S SHOW.

Assistant General Passenger Agent

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Assistant General Passenger Agent Gregory of the Santa Fé has under-Assistant General Passenger Agent Gregory of the Santa Fé has undertaken, in addition to his multitudious duties, the work of running a show. He has a lot of lions down at Redondo, and will give free exhibitions every hour every day in the week. That is, Mr. Gregory will not exhibit the lions, but the talented performer he has secured with the beasts will give the show and Mr. Gregory will see that the necessary 'checks are forthcoming. "It's to please the little folks," said Mr. Gregory yesterday. "We have made Redondo their playground this season and have found that where the babies go the older folks follow. The lions will be a treat that the Santa Fé offers its hundreds of young friends." Then he went to talking about "flyers," three sheets, etc., just as if he had been billing "temptations" all his life.

All the roads are working for the surburban trade this year, and sparing no expense to please the people, and as the close of the season draws near every road is redoubling its efforts to provide something new.

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ranstern travel is picking up, and so are passengers rates to eastern points. The best that can be done on the street today is \$50, second-class to Chicago, which is quite a raise on the \$21, first-class rate that prevailed earlier in the

General Passenger Agent Byrne of the Santa Fé is home from a trip all along the line. He is more than

pleased with the through and local THE GERMAN MARKET.

European Dealers Hungry for California Dried Fruits.

Secretary Wiggins of the Chamber of Commerce has just returned from San Francisco, where he found the Los Angeles exhibit in the State Board of Trade in much better shape than he had anticipated from the reports sent

to him.

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Mr. Wiggins is in a state of high satisfaction over the reports brought from Germany by Secretary Filcher of the State Board of Trade, who had charge of the California exhibit at the Hamburg International Exposition. Not only did California win the gold medal for the best horticultural and industrial exhibit, but the only special medals given to any display outside of Germany were awarded to Los Angeles for the exhibit of flowers from the Ingleside Nursery.

Mr. Filcher is enthusiastic over the prospective market in Germany for California dried fruits. The dealers there, both wholesale and retail, want all they can get, provided that the quality can be guaranteed as uniformly good. Mr. Filcher was assured by many prominent German merchanta that the one thing needful for the proper introduction of dried fruits into Germany was the establishment of small, but well-assorted, permanent exhibits in the principal cities. Once let a high quality of goods become generally known under a California brand or label, and the German dealers say that all California could not supply the demand for her dried fruits that would soon spread all over Europe.

In German cooking, especially, dried and crystallized fruits are much used, and for this reason that portion of the exhibit at Hamburg attracted attention to the exclusion of other and apparently more attractive displays. Even Russians who saw it endeavored to persuade Mr. Filcher to take his whole exhibit into Russia, assuring him of a ready market there if the goods should be once introduced.

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### BUSINESS.

### FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES Los Angeles, Aug. 30, 1 REDUCING BANK CAPITAL. other Boston bank has signified its intention of reducing its capital stock from \$800,000 to \$600,000. Taking this for a text, the United States Investor pub-lishes an editorial on the general desirability of reducing the capital stock of flourishing banks, concluding its ar-

ticle as fellows:
"The question we are discussing is broader one than may appear on the surface. There are not lacking those who ask why it would not be a wiss step for some of our biggest and strongest banks to reduce their capitalizations. Some institutions have been going so long, and have been so admirably managed, that they have built uplarge surplus accounts and have acquired deposits many times in excess of the amount of their outstanding stock. They command the confidence of the public today to such an extent that their deposits would probably not suffer in the least shoul they cut down their capital 33 per cent. or more. As is is a recognized principle of finance that it is cheaper to do business on borrowed money than on your own capital, it is, perhaps, pertinent to ask broader one than may appear on the ital, it is, perhaps, pertinent to ask why it would not be good economy for some of our big banks to return to their shareholders part of the money in-vested, to be used in more profitable fields."

### COMMERCIAL.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WHEAT. A San Bernardino mill man was re-cently interviewed by the Sun, of that city, and gave some interesting information regarding the wheat crop of San Bernardino and Riverside counties. The wheat acreage of the two counties this year is more than double that of last year. In 1896 the wheat acreage of San Bernardino county was acreage of San Bernardino county was 200 acres, while in 1897 it is 2000 acres. In Riverside county the acreage of 1896 was 30,000 acres, and in 1897 it is 75,000 acres. The wheat crop this year is an extra good crop, ranging five to six sacks to the acre, and 140 pounds to the sack. Many of the ranchers have already sold their wheat at a lower figure than prevails now, but there is still considerable awaiting the there is still considerable awaiting the highest prices the market will offer. The wheat of Southern California does not make as white flour as that of San Joaquin Valley, but it is fully as sweet and brings about the same price.

### GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

DRIED AND CANNED PRODUCTS FOR ALASKA. The rush to the northern gold fields should stimulate many Southern California industries, notably those connected with the drying of fruits and vegetables. The expense of freight charges into the Klondyke re-gion is so heavy that food which can be condensed into a small weight will always have the preference. Already it is announced that dried vegetables it is announced that dried vegetables are being shipped from this section to Klondyke. There is certainly room for a great development of this industry. For many years past, dried vegetables have been very popular in Europe, being largely consumed on shipboard, or by travelers who penetrate into distant regions.

These remarks also apply largely to the canned goods industry, concerning which, as it relates to the Klondyke mining region, the American Cultivator

mining region, the American Cultivator says:

"Perhaps it might be well to settle upon and prospect for gold in the fields of the Arctic region upon the Yukon River if the canning business was no farther advanced now than it was when the first rush to California was made in '49, almost half a century ago, but it could only have been at a much greater expenditure of labor and of life. Only one who knows can realize the part which must be played in the feeding of the multitudes who are feeding of the multitudes who are thronging there, where so little can be grown, by the canned meats, canned vegetables, canned fruits, and evaporated fruits, which are now so abundant and comparatively so cheap. The veg-etables and fruits will be not only lux-

etables and fruits will be not only luxuries, but absolute necessities of life to those who must subsist mostly upon salt meat, where arduous labor and the extreme cold will create a demand upon the system for fat meats as well. "Without these fruits and vegetables the miners might expect to be as badly afflicted by scurvy as in former years were those who manned our whaling vessels, and spent months in those cold altitudes subsisting upon salt fat meats. Canned goods have nearly made this disease unknown, or greatly made this disease unknown, or greatly lessened its prevalence among our seamen, and they must be the reliance of the miners for the same purpose. Nor will the saving in cost of transportation, in convenience of preparing and in long keeping be a small item in favor of the canned and evaporated goods.

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"If the Klondyke fever continues as predicted until that region is peopled by its tens of thousands, we predict a favorable trade for the canning industries of California and the Pacific Coast, and those of the Eastern States will share in the prosperity by being in part relieved from the competition of the western packed goods. And the farmers will find a better market for their products when there is more demand for canned goods. Thus, if the miners prosper, others will share in the good results. This is truly a great country, but it is, as it should be, almost impossible for one section to have great prosperity without other sections great prosperity without other sections are benefited by it."

ROQUEFORT CHEESE. Advices from France state that there is likely to be a famine if not a total giving out of Roquefort cheese. This will be bad news to epicures. The cheese is made from the milk of a certain breed of French sheep, which feed upon the thyme found along the banks of rivers in one of the French departments. The failure of the industry is due to the dying off of the thyme. Attempts have been made to feed the sheep upon ordinary grass, but the results have not been satisfactory.

Wild thyme grows plentifully in Southern California. Perhaps some of our Southern California farmers might be able to start a new industry in the dairy line, by importing some of these sheep.

SAN FRANCISCO BREWERIES

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Los Angeles is shortly to have two new brewerles, one to be erected by the Wieland Company on East First street, and another new enterprise to be the Los Angeles brewery, which will be located in East Los Angeles, and it is said will be one of the largest in the country.

Meanwhile, it is stated that the profits of the San Francisco Breweries Company, the English concern owning breweries in San Francisco, for the year ended April 30 last, show a decline of \$10,830, which is accounted for by the loss in sales, but bad debts are \$1145. The directors propose to reconstruct the company and reduce the share capital to \$1,050,000, in £1 shares, the new capital to be allotted to holders in the proportion of four new shares to each holder of old preference shares, and one new share to each holder of old ordinary shares. The new company is to make an issue of \$525,000 second debenture stock. It is believed that with these additional funds, holders of first mortgage debentures will

accept 5 per cent. instead of 6 per cent.

### LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Wholesale Quotations Revised Daily LOS ANGELES, Aug. 39, 1897.
The opening of the week fluds butter steady at top quotations for the best brands. Strictly fresh eggs find a good market at 18c, but storage and dark eggs are not in good demand. Potatoes are very firm at quoted prices. Sweet potatoes are getting cheaper as the season advances, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ per hundred now being about the top price. Onions are getting the price of the season advances are getting cheaper as the season advances are performed in the season advances.

Butter and Cheese.

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Butter-Extra local creamery, per 32-0x
square, 52%; fancy local, 47½-255; northery
creamery, per 32-0x,
square, 4064-2½; fancy unare, 47½-250; 25-0x
square, 4064-2½; fancy unare, 47½-646; 28-0x, roll, 37½-640; choice
dairy, 32-0x, roll, 4064-2½; 28-0x, roll, 22½-2635;
pickled dairy, 28-0x, roll, 32½-2635; ancy tub
per lb., 2067-22.
Cheese—California half gream, per lb., 8½;

8. Bacon—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 10%; light medium, 9; medium, 8%.
Dried Beef—Per lb., seis, —; insides, 15; outsides, 10.
Dry Salt Pork—Per lb., clear bellies, 8%; short clears, 8; clear backs, 7%.
Pickled Meats—Per bbl., family pork, 16.50; beef, 9.50.

Dry Sait Pork—Per Ib., clear bellies, 8%; short clears, S; clear backs, 7½.
Pickled Meats—Per bbl., family pork, 16.50; beef, 9.50.
Lard — Per Ib., pure leaf, 6%; Ivory lard compound, 5%; Rexolene, 5%.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Vegetables—Beets, per 100 lbs., 70; cabbage, per 100 lbs., 60@75; chiles, dry, per string, 50 660; Mexican, per Ib. 10@11; green, per Ib., 5@10; garlic, 1¼@3; beans atrias, per Ib., 2@2½; cucumbers, per box atrias, per Ib., 2@2½; cucumbers, per box, 50@60; Mexican, per Ib., 40%; beans, per 100 lbs., 75@1.0; rhubarb, 50@60; per loc., 15g20; green peas, per Ib., 40%; clear, per loc., 20; leeks, per doz., 15; parsier, per loc., 20; leeks, per doz., 15; parsier, per doz., 25; radishes, per doz., 10; summer squash, per box, 300%5; egg plant, per Ib., 5; green corn, per sack, 75@1.00; tomatoes, per box, 40@50; okra, per lb., 11.
Fresh fruits—New apples, 75@1.10 per box; strawberries, 40%; fancy, 50%; bananas, bunch, 1.00@2.00; blackberries, box, 50%7; raspberries, per box, 50%7; peaches, per lb., 34%1½; watermelons, 50%1.00 per dozen; pineapples, per doz., 2.00%5.00; grapes, per crate, 50%75; plums, per box, 50%75; nectarines, per box, 50%75; cantaloupes, per doz., 25%50.

Dried Fruits—Apples, sun-dried, sacks, per lb., 3½@4; boxes, 56%54; evaporated, fancy, 0½@7; apricots, fancy, 0; evaporated, fancy, 0½@7; apricots, fancy, 0; evaporated, 0; evapora

loose, per 10., sign; secured.

Nuts-Almonds, paper-shell, per lb., 11½@
12½; almonds, Languedoc, per lb., 8@9; wainuts, softshell, per lb., 8½@9; wainuts, hardshell, per lb., 6@7; Brazil, per lb., 10; pecans,
per lb., 12½; pinones, per lb., 9; fiberts, per
lb., 12½; cocoanuts, per dox. 90
lb., 12½; cocoanuts, per dox. 90
lb., 12½; cocoanuts, per dox. 90; barley, 95

Grain-Wheat, per cental, 1.60; barley, 95; small yellow corn, 1.25; large yellow, 1.20; smail yellow corn, 1.25; large yellow, 1.20; oats, 1.1061, 25; Hay—Alfalfa, per ton, 5.50@6.50; barley, 6.00 @7.00; wheat, 7.00@7.50, oat, 7.00@7.50. Straw—Fer ton, 3.50@4.00.

Poultry and Eggs.

Eggs-Per doz., fresh ranch, 17@18; eastern, 15@18.
Poultry—Hens, per doz., 4.00@5.00; young roosters, 4.50@5.50; old roosters, 4.00@4.50; broilers, 2.50@3.50; ducks, 3.50@5.00; turkeys, live, 12@14 per lb.

Beans.

Beans—Small white, per 100 lbs., 1.85@2.00; Lady Washingtons, 1.75@1.85; pinks, 1.75@2.00; Limas, 2.50@3.00.

### Live Stock.

Hogs-Per cwt., 4.00.
Beef Cattle-Steers, 3.25; cows and heifers, 75. Lambs—Per head, 1.50@1.75. Sheep—Per cwt., 2.25@2.75.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Shares and Money.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

NEW, YORK, Aug. 39.—The stock market moved up this morning and down this afternoon, the weakness being due to heavy profittaking in the Grangers, which had moved up buoyantly in the morning. Chicago Great Western suffered most from the liquidation, and shows a net loss of 1½; Omaha showed great strength and moved up 1½ above Saturday's close, but lost it all. Rock Isiand alone of the group closed fractionally higher. The selling movement in the Grangers affected the whice ilst more or less, and many prominent stocks closed below Saturday after naving been materially above at one time during the day. Some of the recent speculative favorites had achieved so large an advantage that the decline left them something to the good, and Missouri Pacific closed at the best, with a net gain of 1½ and Chesapeake and Ohio closed %c below the top with a net gain of nearly a point. Atchison preferred, Western Union, Union Pacific also showed a "fractional net gain. These are the notable exceptions to the general showing of net losses in the list Shares and Money. 

Closing Stocks	
Atchison 15% Atchison pfd 33% Baltimore & O 16% Can. Pacific 72%	St. L. pfd 1137
Atchison pfd 33%	St. Paul 954
Baltimore & O 163/4	St. Paul pfd1434
Can. Pacific 721/4	St. Paul & O 71%
Can. South 551/2	St. P. & O. pfd., 143
Cen. Pacific 13%	St. P. M & M 199
Ches. & Ohio 265%	Southern Pac 201
Chicago & Alton.160	So. R. R 113
C., B. & Q 97%	So. R. R. pfd 364
C. & E. Ill 49	Texas & Pacific 143
C. C. C. & St. L. 35%	Union Pacific 171
C. C. C. pfd 84	U. P., D. & G., 5%
Del. & Hudson117%	Wabash 81
D. L. & W159	Wabash pfd 21%
D. & R. G 131/2	W. & L. E 25
D. & R. G. pfd 47%	W. & L. E. pfd., 114
Erie (new) 17%	Adams Ex153
Erie 1st pfd 42	Am. Express1154
Fort Wayne170	United States 44
Great N. pfd130	Wells-Fargo 108
Hocking Val 51/4	A. Cot. Oil 207
Illinois Cen1061/8	A. C. O. pfd 843
L. E. & W 201/2	Am. Spirits 14
L. E. & W. pfd 72%	Am. S. pfd 323
Lake Shore176	Am. Tobacco 913
Louis. & Nash 611/2	Am. T. pfd111
Manhattan L1061/2	Chicago Gas1024
Met. Traction121%	Con. Gas1903
Mich. Central10742	Com. Cable Co175
Minn. & St. L 24/2	C. F. & 1 213
Ma Pacific 271/	C. F. & I. prd 80
Mobile & Ohio 20	Til Stool
M K & T 1584	La Clode Con
M K & T ned 2634	Laud Gas 46
N A & C 1914	Lead pfd 1041
N A & C nfd 3614	Nat Lin Oil 90
N I Central 95%	Pacific Mail 248
N. V. Central 108	Pull Palace 175
N. Y. C. & St. L. 1536	Silver Cer 52
N. Y. C. 1st pfd. 7614	S. R. & T
N. Y. C. 2d pfd., 3916	Sugar 1491
Nor. West 14	Sugar pfd115
North Am. Co 51/4	T. C. & I 31
Atchison pfd 33% Baltimore & O. 16% Can. Pacific 72% Can. Pacific 12% Cen. Pacific 12% Cen. Pacific 12% Ches. & Ohio. 26% Chicago & Alton 160 C. B. & Q. 97% C. & E. III. 49 C. C. C. pfd. 84 Del. & Hudson. 117% D. L. & W. 159 D. & R. G. 114 D. & R. G. 114 D. & R. G. 114 D. & R. G. 117 Great N. pfd. 130 Hocking Val. 130 Hocki	U. S. Leather 9
North Pac. pfd. 501/2	U. S. L. pfd 69
Ontario & W 18	U. S. Rubber 18
Or. R. & Nav 31	U. S. R. pfd 67
Oregon S. L 22	W. Union 93
Pittsburgh167	C. & G. W 17
I Rock Island 903/	C & N W 190

London Financial Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The Evening Post's London cableram says: "The stock markets were irregular today, and many stocks were rather dull because of dear money. Kaffirs were also dull. Americans were booming, the small-priced shares leading and the close being at the top. The same features still characterize the market here, the old generation selling and the young generation buying. All depends now probably on whether New York will be able to sustain the market until the former class stops selling. Speyers issue the particulars of the extension of the Central Pacific first-mortgage gold bonds. Luse Specklessen of Frankfort and the

Deutsche Bank of Berlin are coöperating with them. The Banbury Committee on the Central Pacific also fissued a circular calling for shares, and stating that August Belmont, John G. Carlisle and George Cappell will coöperate in New York. Gold is in strong demand at 77s 11½d. The Paris bourse was dull on the commencement of the monthly settlement, and the Berlin market was steady."

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New York Money.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Money on call, easy at ½ per cent.; last loan. 14; closed 16114 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 34; 614½ per cent.; sterling exchange, firm. with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.55% for demand, and at 4.83% 48.31½ for sixty days; posted rates, 4.81½ 61.85½ and 4.86½ 64.87; commercial bills, 4.82; silver certificates, 52%; bar silver, 52%; Mexican dollars, 41½. Gold at Denver.

Gold at Denver.

DENVER, Aug. 30.—The receipts of gold at the United States branch mint in this city for the fiscal month of August, which closed Saturday, amounted to \$1,215,237. The receipts for August, 1896, were \$39,459, an increase for this year of \$885,571, or 309 per cent. The total receipts this year since January 1 amount to \$7,238,722. It is estimated that the gold received at the mint during 1897 would be in the neighborhood of \$11,000,000, and with the amount shipped East from smelters and chlorination works, it is believed Colorado's output for 1897 will be in the neighborhood of \$20,000,000.

Treasury Statement.

Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$221,170,035; gold reserve, \$144,019,677.

Boston Stock Market. BOSTON, Aug. 30.—Atchison, 15%; Bell Telephone, 241; C. B. & Q., 97½; Mexican 5%; San Diego, 12.

London Silver.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—Consols, 112 5-16; silver, 2414.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

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(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Wheat started rather weak. Liverpool opened with a decline of 3\(^4\)d and had made a further drop of 3\(^4\)d or 1\(^4\)d in all before business of the day commenced here. Paris was reported as showing the equivalent of \(^4\)c per bushel advance at the opening, but the Liverpool decline received the greater consideration and caused December wheat to open here at a decline of 1\(^4\)c per bushel. The decline favored those who were already short, and was seized upon as a good opportunity to secure a quick profit. Some bulls also, who had sold out before took on new lines, and the result was a gradual improvement. December started at 88\(^4\)Q 89, or 1\(^6\)E1 (12) cents below Saturday's close, and had advanced to 89\(^4\) when a heavy decrease in the visible was announced. This caused renewed buying, the price reaching 9.\(^4\) for a mcment. Following that came the clos ng cable which showed material declines at all the chief foreign markets. This created a revulsion of feeling, and by 11.30 o'clock the price was back to 89\(^4\). The decline for the day at Liverpool was from 1\(^4\)d to receital; Paris showed f.\(^4\), or 4 cents a bushel decline for August, but an advance equivalent to \(^4\)c a bushel for November-February. Antwerp declined 62\(^4\)c centimes, or 3\(^4\) cents a bushel. These declines, put a quietus on the rather alarming statements of crop damage put forth by various foreign authorities; notably the Austrian Minister of Agriculture. Chicago receipts were 54\(^5\) cars. At Minneapolis and Dulün 54\(^5\)cents a bushel, so what and flour from Atlantic ports rince Saturday, inclusive of those from New Orleans and Newport News, amount to the unusually heavy quantity of 1,0\(^5\)c,000 bushels, but the English visible decrease was 1,2\(^5\)c,000 bushels, and the total is now reduced to 15.473,000 bushels, and the uniquing of September for December commenced at the opening, and within an hour the 2\(^6\)cents of the large Grain and Provisions.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

probably caused by the strength of corn.
The leading futures closed as follows:
Wheat, No. 2— Clcs'ng.
September 89°
December 89%
May 91
Corp No 9_
August 29%
September 297%
December 321/8
December
May 35%
Oats, No. 2-
September 18%@18%
December 201/4
May
Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was
easier, 10@20c lower in some cases: No. 5
spring wheat, 89@891/2; No. 3 spring wheat,
85@90; No. 2 red. 89@891/2; No. 2 corn, 291/2@
30; No. 2 oats, 18%; No. 2 white. 23 f. o. b.;
No. 3 white, 20@22 f. o. b.; No. 2 rye, 4814;
No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, 31@42 f. o. b.
No. 4, 28@33 f. o. b.; No. 1 flax seed, 994@
No. 4, 28@33 1. O. D.; No. 1 hax seed, 994 @
1.02; prime timothy seed, 2.80; mess pork, per
bbl., 8.871/2@8.90; lard, per 100 lbs., 4.821/2
short ribs, sides (loose.) 5.50@5.80; dry salted
shoulders (boxed,) 51/2@5%; short clear sides
(boxed.) 6@61/8; whisky, distillers' finished
1 100

goods, per gal., 1.22.

Grain Movements.

	Receipts. Shipments.
Flour, barrels	9.000 11 000
Wheat, bushels	176,000 119,000
Corn, "	1,244,000 1,666,000
Oats, "	559,000 572 000
Rye, "	16,000 25,000
Barley. "	25,000 14.000
On the Produce Excha	nge today the butter
market was steady; cre	amery, 13@18: da'ry
9@15. Cheese was stead	dy at 8% @916. Eggs
were firm; fresh, 131/2.	

Chicago Live-stock Market. Chicago Live-stock Market.

CHICAGO. Aug. 30.—Cattle-Sales were on
a basis of 3.90@5.50 for the common native
dressed-beef steers to the cholcest bevers,
with the bulk of the sales at 4.762.52;
stockers and feeders, 3.40@3.65. Hogs.—Sales
were at 3.00@3.45 for the poorest to the beas
hogs, the bulk crossing the scales 4.10@
4.30. Sheep were wanted a 2.35@2.50 for
the poorest up to 3.80@4.09 for good to extra
natives; lambs. 3.50@5.35;
hogs, 44.000; sheep, 18.000.

Wheat at New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Total transactions

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NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Total transactions in wheat today were only 4,165,000 bushels. During the height of the bull boom they ran 130 to 16,000,000. Thus speculation is fast getting back into its normal condition, with sentiment not so favorably disposed toward the long side of the account, except in a scalping way. News on the whole today was bullish, but the market did not respond. There was heavy selling of the nearby deliveries in an effort to switch transactions over into December, As a result the difference between September and December, which a few days ago was something like 4 cents, narrowed down to 2 cents at the close today. The latter option closed unchanged from Saturday, against 1% to 1% decline on other deliveries. The domestic visible supply lost 1,256,000 bushels last week, and the Eng-

reported the annual crop statement of the Hungarian Minister of Agriculture as showing European necessities of 144,000,000 quintais this year. To supply this deficiency exporting countries can only furnish 94,000.000 quintais. The report did not have the effect on our markets which many traders thought its importance justified, the Hungarian Minister's figures being generally regarded as official for calculating purposes. After the opening, which was at 94% for December, it fell to 93½ cents, raillied to 95½ and closed at 94%. Clearances of wheat from New York last week reached 1,000,000 bushels, the heaviest in many weeks. The local stocks in store and affoat lost 138,000 bushels. English cables were weak all day. French markets opened higher, but lost it all and closed weak. Continental houses were sellers in the early market.

Liverpool Grain Market.

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Liverpool, Aug. 30.—Closing: Wheat, No. 2 red winter, dull, 798; No. 1 red northern, spring, dull, 8s 1d. Corn, spot American, mixed, new, quiet, 3s43d; old, 3s 5d.; September, quiet, 3s 33d; October, quiet, 3s 345d. The imports of wheat into Liverpool are as follows: From Atlantic ports, 102,000 quarters; from Pacific ports, none, from other ports, none. The imports of corn into Liverpool from Atlantic ports were 68,300 quarters. Fruit at New York.

Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Porter Bros. Company sold California fruit today as follows:
Pears, Bartiett, \$602.1.50: Doyenne, 1.55: others, \$5021.00. Grape. Tokay, \$602.155 per single crate; white Tokay, \$602.10: assorted. \$602.1.00: others, \$562.00. \$7.40: Muscats \$562.1.00: others, \$562.00. \$7.50: \$0.00.00: \$0.0

egg, 40@70. Peaches, 45@75.

Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Aug 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 9000; best natives, steady; others weak to slow: Texas steers, 2.50@3.90; Texas cows, 20.0@3.60; native steers, 3.50@5.30; native cows and heifers, 1.75@4.25; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.00. Sheep—Receipts, 5000; the market was steady; lambs, 2.75@5.00; muttons, 2.00@3.60.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Callfornia dried ilts, steady; evaporated apples, prime wire y, 6; wood dried, prime, 6; choice, 6½; 1cy, 6½. Prunes, 3½-@7½. Apricots, Royal, 8; Moorpark, 8@10. Peaches, unpeeled, 6@8; iled, 11@14.

Fruit at Chicago. CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—The Earl Fruit Company sold today: Grapes, Tokay, 1.00@1.35; average, 1.23; Muscat, 1.30; Malaga, 1.35@1.45; average, 1.42½. Pears, Bartletts, 80@1.65. Prunes, Italian, 60@70; average, 66.

Copper and Lead. NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Copper, firm, brokers, 11.25; exchange, 11.15. Lead, strong brokers, 3.85; exchange, 4.15. Petroleum.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Petroleum; Penn-sylvania crude, nominally at 85 cents; United closed 73½ cents bid.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Grain and Produce. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30. — Flour — Net ash, family extras, 5.25@5.35; bakers' extras, cash, family extras, 5.25@5.35; bakers' extras, 5.00@5.10.
Wheat—No. 1 shipping, 1.45% for No. 1 and .50@1.51% for choice, milling wheat, 1.55@

1.60.

Barley—Feed, 90@92½; choice bright, 93¾@ 95; brewing, 1.02@1.10 for No. 1 and 97½@1.00 for Coast.

Oats — Poor to fair, 1.05@1.12½; good to choice, 1.15@1.25; fancy feed, 1.30@1.35; new red, 1.10@1.15.

Middlings—Per ton, 19.00@22.00; bran, 14.00 @14.50.

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@14.50.

Hay — Wheat, 12.00@15.00; wheat and oat, 11.00@14.00; oat, 10.00@12.00; best barley, 9.00@12.00; alfalfa hay, 8.00@10.00; clover, 7.50@9.00; stock, 7.00@9.00; compressed wheat, 12.5.@14.00 per ton; straw, per bale, 30@40.

Potatoes—Early Rose, 30@40 per cental; Salinas Burbanks, 65@75; river, 40@50; new sweet potatoes, 4.@1c per ib.

Various—Silverskin onions, 1.00@1.10 per ctl.; bay cucumbers, 20@25 per box; garl.c, 1½@22 per lb; green peas, 1½@24 per lb; string beans, 2@3½ per lb; bay squash, 25@33 per box; string beans, 2@3½ per lb; bay squash, 25@33 per box; green orn, 50@1.00 per sack; green peppers, 25@35 per box; ogg plant, 36@50 per box; green okra, 26@50 per box; strawberries, 3.00 @4.00 per chest; blackberries, 1.76@2.50 per chest; raspberries, 4.0@5.00 per chest; blackberries, 1.76@2.50 per chest; raspberries, 4.0@5.00 per chest; bucklaberries, 4.00@6.00 per chest; blackberries, 1.76@2.50 per crate; nutmeg melons, 40@50; Fontainbleau grapes, 20@35 per box; praches, 20@35 per box; black, 30@40; Tokay, 40@30; nectarries, 3.00 dea. 30@40; Tokay, 40@30; nectarries, white, 25@30 per box; praches, 25@60 per box; pears, choice, 40@30 per box; buns, 20@40 per box; pears, choice, 40@30 per box; puns, 20@40 per box; pears, choice, 40@30 per

bunch; Smyrna figs, 12014 per lb.; dates, 6
per lb.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 22½ per lb.; seconds, 216-22; dairy, fancy, 20; seconds, 17018.

Cheese—Fancy mild, new, 8 per lb.; fair to
good, 767½; California cream, 10211; Young
America, 869; eastern, 12214; western, 11612;
egges—Store, 156218 per doz.; ranch, 2022;
eastern, 14619; duck eggs, 16.
Poultry — Live turkey gobblers, 14615 per
lb.; hens, 13614; old roosters, per doz., 3.506
4.00; young, 3.5065.50; small brollers, 1.756
2.50; large, 2.7563.00; fryers, 3.0063.00; hens,
3.50; geese, per pair, 7561.00; goolings, 1.006
3.50; geese, per pair, 7561.00; goolings, 1.006
3.50; geese, per pair, 7561.00; goolings, 1.006
3.50; geese, per pair, 1.0061.55
Beans — Pink, 1.4061.50; Lina, 2.2062.50;
San Francisco Mining Stocks,
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SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—The official

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:
Alta 12 Julia 4 Alpha Con 19 Justice 8 Andes 23 Kentuck Can 6 Belcher 41 Mexican 53 Best & Belcher 80 Occidental Con ...115 Kentuck Can ... Mexican .... Occidental Con Belcher ..... Best & Belcher... 
 Challenge Con
 42
 Potosi
 44

 Chollar
 77
 Savage
 3

 Confidence
 108
 Sierra Nevada
 7

 Con
 Cal. & Va.
 135
 Silver Hill
 1

 Con
 Lon
 2
 Union Con
 4

 Crown Point
 35
 Utah Con
 3

 Exchequer
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 Yellow Jacket
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 Gould & Curry
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[Quotations by Mining and Stock Exchange.]

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 30, 1897.

Wedge ... 33 E. Amargosa ... 1%

Rand Mt. ... 2% Gold Bug ... 1%

Pacific Con ... 1½ Lucky Star ... 1

Magganetta ... ... Unlisted active—

Sunset ... Little Butte ... ...

Unlisted active—
Sunset — Little Butte —
Ivy Group — 15 Val Verde — —
Mohawk-Acton — 1½ Amargosa — —
Recelpts.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Receipts for forty-eight hours—Flour, quarter sacks, 13,336; Oregon, 624; wheat, centals 51,059; barley, centals, 119,199; cats, centals, 1150; Oregon, 650; beans, sacks, 1340; corn, centals, 310; centals, 610; potatoes, sacks, 7707; collons, sacks, 913; bran, sacks, 945; middlings, sacks, 11,008; hay, tons, 362; straw, tons, 33; mustardseed, sacks, 6; flaxseed, sacks, 46; wool, bales, 337; hides, number, 455; quicksliver, flasks, 51; wine, gallons, 21,600.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30—Wheat was

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Wheat was firm; December, 1.52½; May, 1.52. Barley was quiet; December, 33½. Corn, large yellow, 1.07½@1.12½. California bran, 14.50@15.00.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Silver bars, 52; Mexican dollars, 44½@44%; drafts, sight, 5; drafts, telegraph, 7½.

Atlantic Mills Reopened.

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LAWRENCE (Mass..) Aug. 30.—Operations were resumed at the Atlantic mills today after a shut-down of four weeks. This will give employment to about twelve hundred hands. Work was also resumed in the weaving department of the Methuen Company's mills at Methuen. Nearly all of the 450 operatives employed in these mills are now at work.

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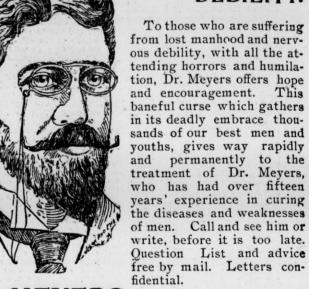
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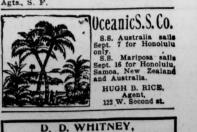
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17, 21, 23, 29, Oct. 3, 7, 11, 19, 23, 27, 31. Leave
Port Los Angeles at 6 A.M., and Redondo at
11 A.M. for San Diego, Aug. 2, 6, 10, 14, 18, 22,
23, 39, Sept. 3, 7, 11, 31, 22, 32, 77, Oct. 1, 5, 9, 13,
17, 21, 28, 23. The Corona cails also at Newport. Cars connect via Redondo leave
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Santa Fe depot at 9:35 A.M., or from Redondo
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Barbara, Gaviota, Port Hartord, Cayucos,
San Simeon, Monterey and Santa Cruz, at
6:30 P.M. Aug. 1, 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 25, 29, Sept. 2,
Cars connect with steamers via San Pedro
leave S.P.R.R. (Arcade Depot) at 5:15 P.M. The
Company reserves right to change, without
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# IERNCALIFORNIANEWS

PASADENA.

FOREST FIRE RAGING IN THE VERDUGO HILLS.

Estimate on a Complete City Sewer System Submitted to the Trus-tees - A Lively Runaway in Which a Young Lady Figures as

PASADENA, Aug. 30.—[Regular Corre-pondence.] A forest fire is raging about three miles west of Pasadena in the hills to the north of Eagle Rock Valley, known as the Verdugo Hills. The smoke has been plainly discernable from Pasadena all day. A Times reporter drove over in the vicinity of the fire this afternoon and found it to be about a mile east of Eagle Rock, and although the wind blew the smoke from the fire in a northeasterly direction, the flames were eating their way south, or right into the teeth o the wind. At this writing about a mile square appears to be burning in the cañons and on the side of the mountains.

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The place is inaccessible except on root and then is apparently about a mile from any house. Sightseers crowned Eagle Rock and watched the flames in the distance. Other than the loss of the timber, which is of small growth, the damage thus far Il not be large, though unless a concerted fort is made to quench, the flames at once the damage will depend upon the area cov-ered by the flames. This evening the city is with smoke, and the flames are plain! from Pasadena

PASADENA CITY TRUSTEES. The City Trustees met this afternoon with essrs. Washburn, Patten and Reynolds resent. Trustee Washburn occupied the chair In the absence of Trustee Hartwell, and aside from the Trustees, City Attorney, City Clerk and City Engineer, but four others were pres-ent at the meeting, and they were all news-

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Despite the fact that today was the time set for the hearing of remonstrances upon the proposed East Side sewer, it had been rumored that, owing to the absence from the city of Trustees Hartwell and Hamilton, the hearing would be postponed, and hence no one appeared to protest.

It was also supposed there would be a large attendance in consequence of the opening of the estimate of City Engineer Clapp for sewering the entire city. The estimate was presented as follows:

"As requested by our honorable body, I herewith submit an approximate cstimate of the cost of sewering the entire city, except such portions as cannot utilize the present outfall sewer, and which are apparely settled, and can only be provided for when the city boundaries are extended to take in new territory in the vicinity, and necessitating the building of other outfall sewers to either connect with the present system somewhere outside the incorporated city, or provide some other disposition for the sewage (as in the extreme southwestern portion of the city might be done in conjunction with South Pasadena,) and which cannot be estimated upon at this time without a great amount of time and expense.

It would also add that the amount expended to date of the sevent

(\$170,440.)
"I would also add that the amount expended to date for sewers built under the Vrooman Act and since constructed under the bonds, to be twenty thousand, four hundred and six dollars (\$20,46.)"
After reading the estimate an informal discussion ensued, in which it was learned that to sewer the city and pay back to those who have already sowered, provided such a thing could be done, about \$193,000 would be required.

Trustee Patten thought it time the entire city was sewered, in view of the constant growth of the municipality, and Trustee Reynolds favored a bond issue, with the proviso that money should be refunded to those who had aircady paid. No action was taken, awaiting the return to the city of the absent members of the Council.

Ordinances establishing the grade of Wichta, Mills, Eastern, Eureka, Earlham and Santa Barbara streets were read for the first time.

TODAY'S RUNAWAY. A partially demolished buggy, containing a young lady clinging to the reins and trying to stop a runaway horse this inorning, caused no small amount of excitement in the vicinity of West Colorado street. A heavy wagon forced the buggy against the curbing on Fair Oaks avenue, crushing one of the hind wheels, and the horse started to run. The young lady in the buggy was Miss Hampton of Mercer avenue, who pluckly held the reins and not only guided the affrighted animal, but had almost succeeded in thoroughly controlling him when the Terminal road

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The Maccabees held a social session this evening in Odd Fellows' Hall. By a late afternoon mail a check for \$2000 was received by the treasurer of the Maccabees for the widow of John O. Hoff, a member of the order who recently died.

C. D. Whitcomb. head watchman of the Woodmen of the World, is in Pasadena renewing old and making new acquaintances among the members of the order.

Mrs. A. L. Burney, in Crafton. Wiss. Fay has returned to Bluff Lake. W. Cohn, who is soon to engage in business in Rediands, has leased the Ladd House on Grant street, and has moved here with search of the order.

Mrs. Blair of North Carolina, are visiting family to make this city his permanent place of residence.

Swilliams is pent Sunday at Long James F. Drake spent Sunday at Long the Sunday at Long and Evended Stay at Catalina.

Mrs. F. W. Balfour and children of Poma are visiting at the residence of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Burney, in Crafton. W. Cohn, who is soon to engage in business are constant and the second of the word of the word of the constant and the second of the second of the constant and the second of the second of

w. Westerfeld of Fresno, draft clerk in the London and San Francisco Bank in San Fran-cisco, is visiting his sister, Mrs. H. R. Hertel.

Organic Education at Glasscock's.

James Otterman has taken entire charge of Raymond Sale Yards, corner Union street, where wagons, buggies and harness are sold.

SANTA MONICA.

SANTA MONICA, Aug. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] The postoffice news stand was burglarized in broad daylight on Sunday and a few dollars' worth of goods taken. Evidently all the objectionable character's notified sometime ago by the City Marshal to leave the city have not gone.

The Recreation Gun Club of this city, preparatory to the autumn duck shooting, this morning began pumping the water onto the Ballona marshes.

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Judge Kemp and family of El Paso, Tex., who have spent the season in Santa Monica, have returned to their home.

Paul Hoffman has been given thirty days in jail by Judge Wells for disturbing the peace, and Smiley Duran fined only \$5 for an aggravatid case of battery on Charles Rutledge, an highly respected young man of the town.

A amall earthquake shock about 4 p.m. on Sunday was distincily felt here.

There has been no brilliant pyrotechnic or other display in Santa Monica over the dismissal of the adultery charge against W. Russell Ward, formerly a well-known figure here.

H. E. Huntington and party spent Saturday night and a portion of Sunday at the Hotel Arcadis.

In the asymming races on Sunday Leg.

Nature Gives the Farmers a Gentle Hint Regarding Soils.

Hint Regarding Soils.

CHINO, Aug. 30.— [Regular Correspondence.] There is no discount on Chino soil, and yet the fact is becoming very evident to every one that there is going to be a big shrinkage in the beet harvest this year from expectations. There seems little doubt, in fact, that this is a hint on the part of nature that beets, as well as other crops, demand a certain rotation in planting. For seven years beets have been grown on much the same land, and that the soil is in places coming to need replenishing in plant food, is not strange. This is probably one reason why the "purity" of the beets grown this year is falling below the average and why the sugar percentage is not what it ought to be. With these two points disappointing and the average yield being below the normal, the expectations of an uncommonly good season are banished. Yet the acreage is very heavy, and this will probably enable the farmers to put more money in their pockets than ever before. The condition of the beets is holding back the crop, but very little of which has yet been harvested, comparatively, and it is now evident that the campaign at the factory will close later than usual, probably extending to December 15.

The creamery will start up Wednesday, having a capacity of about three thousand galions of milk per day, and this involves placing nearly one thousand head of cattle on the ranch, which will be greatly to the production of the serious of the growers will keep reversal head of cattle, feeding them pulp from the factory, and this, it stought, will counteract the effect of the drain on the soil by continuous planting.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

WHO WILL CARE FOR THE HOBO

Baseball of the Future in San Bernarino-New Club Being Formed. New Postmaster at Patton-Brevities and Notes.

SAN BERNARDINO, Aug. 30. — [Regular Correspondence.] The two open ports of admission of the hobo to Southern California are Needles and Yuma. During the hot wave these were crowded with immigrants of that character awaiting a cool. wave on which they could take up the line of march for the orange groves and rock piles of this section. The army is beginning to move, and Monday morning the City Recorder had three of the rank and file before him. When brought up for sentence he informed the prisoners that he would take the matter under advisement for three hours, and asked them to return at the expiration of that time for sentence. In side of half that time the city line was passed for three hours, and asked them to return at the expiration of that time for sentence. Inside of half that time the city line was parsed and the hobos were wearily plodding on. There is some discussion as to the number of policemen the city will need the coming winter. This is the more important, as Thomas Prindiville of the force has handed in his resignation, having found a more lucrative position, and there has been some talk among the City Trustees as to the advisability of reducing the force. When the hobo begins to arrive in force it will keep the police busy. The constables refuse to touch a hobo, as there is no fee in it now, and the officers are on a stipulated salary wnether they make an arrest or not. The care of the hobo therefore will fall to the police and City Court. The army can camp around the walls of the city, coming in for rations, and crossing the line and be safe. As they will be here in swarms shortly, the advice of a judge that each citizen must carry a shorgun for hobos has more truth than sarcasm in it.

BASEBALL REDIVIVUS.

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The formation of the Cobb-Examiner team was a hard blow at baseball in this city, as was a hard blow at baseball in this city, as it took half the excellent club formed here and left nothing for the future. Baseball has died out, but Manager J. D. Faris proposes to revive it again if possible by the formation of another club for the spring and summer business of the new year. He is in communication with several good players, some of the old and some new ones, and is hopeful that he can get together a club that can meet, anything in California that cares to ever anything in California that cares to ever bats with them. Faris is negotiating for a game here with the Baltimores when they come to the Coast, and thinks he will have a nine that will make it interesting for the visitors.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

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J. A. Whitmore, for over two years editor of the Times-Index, retired from that position saturday. His place will be taken by F. W. Richardson, the proprietor.
Walter Savage has been appointed postmaster of the new office at Patton, formerly called Asylum Station.

W. S. Beckwith of Pasadena is in the city working up interest in the Woodmen's picnic at Redondo on the 9th.

There is a large fire raging on west side o City Creek Canon a few miles from the city

REDLANDS.

no small amount of excitement in the vicinity of West Colorado street. A heavy wagon forced the buggy against the curbing on Fair Oaks avenue, crushing one of the hind wheels, and the horse started to run. The young lady in the buggy was Miss Hampton of Mercer avenue, who pluckly held the reins and not only guided the affrighted animal, but had almost succeeded in thoroughly controlling him when the Terminal road tracks were reached, and a negre caught him.

MILITIAMEN FIGHT.

"In time of peace prepare for war" was practically exemplified in the armory of Co. I of the National Guard this evening.

It was a regular drill night, and, when the men returned the armory after drilling on the streets. Privates Altrop and Cummings became engaged in a wordy altercation which force as to break one of the bones in his own hand. He was cared for at the Receiving Hospital by Dr. Hodge.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

The stone foundation for the new Orange Grove Methodist Church was begun today. Architect Benshoff will open bids for the carpeter work on Thursday. He has just received notice that his plans for a dormitory for Chaffey College at Ontario have been accepted.

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SAN PEDRO, Aug. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] The absorbing topic of the town is the suit brought by J. Li. Griffen against W. S. Burrell and others for \$5000 damages. All the parties to the suit are butchers. Burrell, who recently bought a shop, asked Griffen for a list of customers and their rating, which Griffen supplied. Griffen aileges that Burrell added many names, and then showed it to the persons whose names appeared and told them it was a "black list" prepared by Griffen. This made trouble for Griffen. Burrell alleges that the list was palmed off upon him as a black list, and that there was a conspiracy to ruin his business.

Skipper Mershen of the sloop Judge is patrolling the water front with a rifle, in the hope of getting a shot at the man who alashed his mainsail into ribbons. He thinks the destardly outrage was perpetrated by the crew, whose name is Mitchell and with whom the skipper had a disagreement about fish. The crew mutinied and said he would get even, and that night the sails were ruined.

Enoch Gustavson, a ship carpenter, fell from the seat of a wagon yesterday, and before the wagon was stopped the rear wheel ran over his right leg below the knee, tearing the muscles and bursting a blood vessel. Steamer Pasadens, Capt. Hamilton, arrived from Eureka with 320,000 feet of lumber.

H. E. Huntington and party spent Saturday night and a portion of Sunday at the Hotel Arcadia.

In the swimming races on Sunday Leo Carrillo was first, Joe Hart second and C. Carrillo was first, Joe Hart second and C. Rapp third. Another race will be necessary to decide which is entitled to the prize.

ORANGE COUNTY.

MISCHIEVOUS BOYS NEARLY WRECK A TRAIN.

Piled Rocks on the Rails Waited to See What Would Hap-pen-Fruit-stealers Caught and Turned Loose-Notes of News.

SANTA ANA, Aug. 30. — [Regular Correspondence.] Three boys, aged 8, 11 and 12, piled rocks on the track of the Santa Fé near Aliso Sunday evening and came near causing the wreck of the north-bound train. Fortunately, the obstruction was noticed by the engineer in time to avoid disaster.

On the arrival of the train in this city a special was dispatched to Aliso with Deputy Sheriff Ulm and Inspector King of the Santa Fé on board. They investigated the matter and secured the names of the boys who did the mischief. While it is believed that the boys did not think seriously of wrecking the the mischief. While it is believed that the boys did not think seriously of wrecking the train, yet some action will be taken to prevent a repetition of pranks of this sort. Had the train been going at full speed nothing would have saved it from being derailed.

FRUIT-STEALERS NABBED. Six young men, traveling in a wagon from San Diego to this city, were arrested Sunday evening at Capistrano for stealing fruit from the ranch of A. G. Aguilar. They were locked up in the calaboose over night, and today were allowed to proceed on their way, after squaring matters with the owner of the fruit. ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES.

The case of Frank Stone vs. Vicente Yorba.

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The case of Frank Stone vs. Vicente Yorba,
F. Botiller, et al., a suit for partition of an
estate of 550 acres of land in this county, has
been taken to the Supreme Court on appeal
from San Diego, It was decided a year or so
ago, giving Stone an interest of one-ninth,
Yorba seven-eighteenth and Botiller one-half.
Other claimants are now bringing suit for a
share of the estate.

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The Bolsa ranch of 360 acres, formerly the property of the late Sanford Johnson, was sold under Sheriff's sale today for \$19,000. The Germania Savings and Loan Society of Los Angeles, which held a mortgage on the property, was the purchaser.

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Col. H. G. Otis of The Times visited Santa Ana today in company with a number of beet sugar capitalists. They made a tour of the country about Westminster, viewing the land suitable for sugar-beet production.

The Eureka took another consignment of barley from Newport wharf Sunday evening. The Bonita is at the wharf with 4000 feet of lumber for Los Angeles dealers.

Miss Kate I. Garnett, the newly-elected librarian of the Public Lbrary, arrived in Santa Ana Sunday evening. She will assume the duties on Wednesday.

John Q. Hannah of Santa Ana is a claimant.

John Q. Hannah of Santa Ana is a claimant of the site of Dayton, O., which is alleged to have been the property of his grandmother, Mary Lewis.

SANTA CATALINA.

NATURAL FIREWORKS IN THE BAY OF AVALON.

Yachting Parties, Fish Stories, Receptions and General Jollity-A Man from Colorado Has a Ter rific Time With a Devil Fish.

AVALON (Catalina Island,) Aug. Regular Correspondence.] The bay of Ava-lon, for the past week, has been filled with phosphorescent animalculae. The beauties of these marine firefles are especially noticeable since the introduction of evening swimming

since the introduction of evening swimming parties.

A merry party from the Metropole Hotel took a ride around the bay on the Fleetwing, last night, after which they had a supper on the schooner-yacht Rambler, given by Ernest A. Wiltsee of San Francisco. The yacht was brilliantly filuminated with Chinese lanterns. Those who enjoyed the reception were: Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Martin, Miss Pattie Woodard, Miss M. Hazeltine, W. R. Woodard, William Northrop Cowles, Dan McFarland, A. C. Brode and Jesse C. Raines, J. C. Raines, Fred Barman, Frank Walsh and J. D, Billington of Los Angeles report a goodly catch of fish from the Santa Ana, goodly catch of fish from the Santa Ana.

a goodly catch of fish from the Santa Ana, Capt. Emerson. Twenty-two yellowtail, averaging fifteen pounds each, were hooked, together with a number of bass.

Mrs. J. Crame, Mrs. Ferguson, Miss N. Bishop, Miss Griffith, Dr. Prettie and C. H. Brown of Los Angeles took a fishing trip on the Fleetwing, Capt. McDonnal, yesterday, landed thirty yellowtail and a number of black bass. Mr. Brown hooked an exceptionally large fish (weight, according to Mr. Brown, sixty-two pounds,) but was unable to land him, as the monster broke the line when the side of the boat was reached. Mr. Brown is an expert angler, but he can't land a sixty-two-pound vellowtail with an ordinary line.

H. C. Allen of Denver, Colo., comes blandly forward with a devilinsh story, Nothing short of a Satanio-majesty member of the finny tribe would satisfy Mr. Allen's piscatorial taste—so he caught one. To be sure, it was not hooked with a hand line, served was a continuous control to the finny tribe would satisfy Mr. Allen's piscatorial taste—so he caught one. To be sure, it was not hooked with a hand line,

piscatorial taste—so he caught one. To be sure, it was not hooked with a hand line, nor yet a rod and rele, but Mr. Allen is not ashamed of having landed the monster with a boat hook. Allen started for White's Landing, Sunday morning. He got there. He saw something 'queer' on the rocks. He investigated. He discovered it to be a deviliable, and retreated. Arming himself with a boathook he assailed the monster. Long fight; dead fish. Measurements, according to Mr. Allen, three feet from tip to tip. Miss Carline Thayer returned yesterday to Los Angeles, after a three-weeks' stay at Avalon.

Los Angeles, after a three-weeks' stay at Avalon.
C. Seaver, president of the First National Bank of Pomona, left, after a four-weeks' visit here. Mr. Seaver is an enthusiastic yachtsman and will be greatly missed by his Pomona friends here, who enjoyed daily sails with him.
The Island Villa Hotel closed today, and the grests of that house were transferred to the Metropole.
Late arrivals at the Metropole: T. E. Crothers, George E. Crothers, Nat Lowenstein of San Francisco; H. M. Parker, Evanstein, Ill.; R. R. Haines, Mrs. E. B. Vincent, Miss Sophia Rulge, Miss G. de Passan, Amiou Maur, S. F. Catey, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rodman, of Los Angeles, and H. C. Hubbard of San Fernando.

REDONDO BEACH.

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REDONDO BEACH, Aug. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] Apache Indians playing shinny in the streets was the star attraction here Sunday. An unusually large crowd came down on the railroads, and during the Indians' performance Front street was crowded with men, women and children.

Marshal Maxey made but one arrest. He arrested a man named Daly for assaulting a Chinaman employed by Blanton Duncan. Daly pleaded not guilty, and his case was set for next Wednesday.

The large man-eating shark that was on

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The large man-eating shark that was on exhibition on Wharf No. 1 yesterday was inspected by a large number of the Sunday visitors. It is rapidly ripening, and by tomorrow will be unit for publication.

The yachts Bonnie Belle and Violet had parties out on the bay Sunday, and quite a number of barracuda were landed by the fishers.

The yacht Red Bird, Capt. A. G. Edwards, was chartered by E. H. Lamme and party yesterday.

The steamship Bonita landed at Wharf No. 1, yesterday atternoon, a quantity of miscellaneous freight consigned to this port.

The steamship Santa Rosa, Capt. Alexarder, arrived from the North this morning and unloaded 130 tons of freight consigned to the port.

Mrs. J. H. Edmunds of Los Angeles is a guest of Mrs. Dr. Haywards at Redondo Hotel.

Guy Cochran of Los Angeles is at Hotel.

Hotel.

Guy Cochran of Los Angeles is at Hotel Redondo for a few weeks. Mr. Cochran led the german at the cotilion Saturday night.

Miss Winston of Los Angeles is spending a few days at the bridge hotel.

Carroll Allen, H. M. and M. J. Newmark, James B. Scott, R. A. Rewan, H. J. Woollascott, A. B. Greenwall, E. S. Sullivan, Robert W. Stimson, I. N. Van Nuya and James Slauson spent Sunday in Redondo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Blaisdell and Mr. smd.

Mrs. S. F. Wilshire of Los Angeles were among the guests at Hotel Redondo yesterday.

PERRIS

Suit Against the Irrigation District. Fraud Alleged.

PERRIS, Aug 28.-[Regular Correspondence.] Papers were served today upon the president and secretary of the Perris Irrigation District, in an action brought by the people of the State of California, upon the complaint of F. J. Fogg, against the dis-trict, in which the complaint sets up that said district is not now and never was a legally formed and organized irrigation district in that forty-seven of the fifty-five original signers of the petition for the formation of the the petition for the formation of the district were not bona fide freeholders; that J. W. Nance and J. H. McCanna, knowingly and fraudulently deeded small tracts of land jointly to forty-two of the signers of said petition with the understanding and agreement that after the parties had signed the petition and the district was formed, the lands as conveyed were to be recontion and the district was formed, the lands so conveyed were to be reconveyed to the said Nance & McCanna, which was done as agreed; that thereafter said Nance & McCanna and others had fraudulently procured the confirmation of the organization and bonds issued. Whereupon the plaintiff prays that all franchises or powers of said district he forfeited.

arson Shoemaker Makes a Recordbreaking Run on Riverside's Bicycle Track - Brevities and

the case of Recorder Gruwell on the salaries of the Surveyor, justices and constables, Disk.-Atty Gill on Monday rendered the

of the Surveyor, justices and constables, Disk,-Atty Gill on Monday rendered the following opinion:

"W. B. Clancy, County Auditor—Dear Sir: In view of the fact that Judge Ballard, presiding in this court, has decided that part of of the County Germment Act changing the compraction of the second of the county recorder of this courty recorder of this county recorder of this county that the county recorder of the county is constables, county surveyor the county of the county of the county surveyor and court reporter, and changing the mileage of the Supervisors, has been challenged, without deciding that the law above referred to is unconstitutional, I deem it advisable for you not to draw warrants for the salaries of these officers above referred to until the quection of the constitutionality of the law can be determined by our Superior Court, or until such time as this office may be able to further advisa you in the premises."

Mr. Clancy will accordingly draw no further warrants for the above officers on a salary basis, It is stated that some of the township officers propose to test the matter in the courts.

TRACK RECORD BROKEN

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district be forfeited.

This action is taken to prevent the levying of taxes by the directors of the district or by mandamus proceedings through the Board of Supervisors.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

IMPORTANT OPINION IN THE SAL ARY QUESTION.

Personals.

RIVERSIDE, Aug. 30.—[Regular Corre-pondence.] In response to a request from county Auditor Clancy to ascertain the legal searing of Judge Ballard's recent decision in

TRACK RECORD BROKEN
Carson Shoemker, one of Riverside's crack
riders, Monday morning, beat the track record of 1:59 2-5, made by Hamilton of Denver
some time ago, With a flying start and
paced by Scott on a single and Russell and
Packard on a tandem, Shoemaker cut a lively
clip from the start, and by splendid pacing
rounded the track three times in 1:59 flat.
Shoemaker is matched to ride against Furman, the specifiest rider of Los Angeles, for a
good-sized purse on Admission day.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

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RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

M. F. Allen will have his innings Tuesday in Justice Mills's court for alleged assault upon the young man named Porter, who is at present posing as the "protector" of Allen's wife. Those who have lived in Riverside longest best appreciate the facetiousness of the whole affair.

George Plattner of Corona was arraigned in the Superior Court Monday morning on a charge of burgiary. He entered a plea of not guilty, and the trial, was set for Monday next at 10 a.m.

Ex-Public Administrator Frink was in town Monday on business in chancetion with the estates of numerous persons deceased, of which he became administrator by virtue of his office.

Postmaster Abbott and Mrs. Abbott have returned from their outing, which was spent at Laguna.

sec 35, T 1 N, R 11 W, \$160.

F Schueddig to Bell Waldron, lot 7, block 19, East Los Angeles, \$1600.

A M Parsons et ux to B W Foster, lot 4, Wilson's Buena Vista street tract, \$700.

Della M Brooker et con to Mrs Emma A Thorne, lot 117 Hafen tract, \$400.

Emily A Billings et con to T E Kimball, lot 2, E S Rowley's resubdivision in block Q, West Los Angeles, \$2500.

Martha C de Schroeder to John L Ballard, three-fifths of an acre in the Carbajol tract, \$450.

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Same to same, certain lands in the Reyas de Carbajol tract (92-211.) \$6000.

C S Perry to F H Fraser et ux, lots 18 and 19, town of Broadacres, \$200.

G H Pinney et ux to Susan Bacon, 39.65x 38,9, at the east corner of the Lankershim lot and Main street (155-480.) \$28,000.

Weldon D Wheelan et ux to J T Lord, tract No. 1, see 16, T 2 N, R 15 W, \$1000.

C M Benbrook to Agnes Benbrook, part of lot 4, block 8, Downey Land Association tract, \$2000.

T B Kimball et ux to Emily A Billings, lot 10, Shively & Nettleton's subdivision of the Cox tract, \$2250.

Emma T Dennis et con to J T Hildreth, 8 acres of lot 10 in the W R Rowland tract, \$1200.

Andrew Glassell to Horace M Dobbins,

Andrew Glassell to Horace M Dobbins, right-of-way 30 feet wide for a road and viaduct for the passage of bleveles, tricycles and motor cycles through section 6 and the Lincoln Park tract, \$500.

W C Andrus to A B Cauldwell, lot 21, Mariborough tract, \$1000.

SUMMARY.

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SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

TITLE TO NORMAL SCHOOL SITE Another Site to Be Selected and

Offered to the State-Big Raisin Crop in El Cajon Valley-Plenty of Patriots Willing to Hold

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] San Diego will have to select another site for the new State Normal School building. D. C. Collier, Jr., returned this afternoon from Sacramento, whither he had gone to confer with the Attorney-General in reference to the abstract of title to the site selected for the Normal buildings on University Heights. The Attorney-General holds that the title to the proposed site is not good, and title to the proposed site is not good, and cannot therefore be accepted by the State. Mr. Collier states that the old site will have to be withdrawn and that the University Heights people will meet this week to decide on another proposition, in which an entirely new site will be offered to the State. THE WAVE OF PROSPERITY.

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Raisin-growers in El Cajon and other sections of the county are making their arrangements to properly take care of the big crop.
In El Cajon the big ranchers will commence active operations about the 15th of September, and an army of pickers will be at work, many of whom have already been engaged. This of whom have already been engaged. will help along the wave of prosperity.

POLITICIANS ON DECK. POLITICIANS ON DECK.

Political affairs are being discussed somewhat by local politicians, both county and district. For Congress there is liable to be a score of candidates. This county alone has three or more, particularly more, who are willing to serve their country. And when it comes to county offices, there will be several scores.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES. buildings are nearly all over-crowded, mak-ing It-very apparent that more commodious quarters will-soon have to be provided. County teachers' institutes will be held at Julian September 4; Ramona, September 11; Meridian, September 18; Otay, September 25; Escondido, October 2; Fallbrook, October 9; and Oceanside, October 16. Last week Escondido shipped out two car-loads of grain, one each of hay, dried fruit and lemons.

Walter Moore, one of the two hundred vis-itors to Ocean Beach on Sunday, came home Collector J. C. Fisher is back from his recent trip to San Francisco. a cripple, as the result of a severe sting on the foot by a stingray.

ESCONDIDO.

ESCONDIDO. Aug. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] Times are brighter in this valley than they have been for a long time, owing to the high prices of grain. The fruit men are only indirectly partakers of the general joy, prices in their line being too low to leave them a decent margin of profit, while the honey interest weeps over 3-cent goods. The irrigation problem is in a sort of transition period. The annual special tax in addition to the tax to pay fixed charges of the system is agitating the bosom of the average citizen to an extent that threatens to produce a condition of popular feeling inimical to the peace and dignity of the State. A new mail route is about to be opened giving daily mail, Sunday excepted, between this city and Ramona, a five hours' run. It is expected that a stage line will be established.



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### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* City Briefs.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Parties going to Catalina can leave this city on the Terminal newspaper-train at 6 a.m., conecting with the Wilmington Transportation Companys newspaper boat at San Pedro, and arrive at Catalina at 10 o'clock daily expept Saturday and Sunday. Making the trip at this time of the day is much more delightfull than in the afternoon, after the winds have come up and the ocean is "choppy." There is also much less liability to seasickness on the morning trip.

The Times is prepared to do on short notice any kind of plain linotype composition for 30 cents per thousand ems. Brief work for 35 cents per thousand. Special—Finest cabinet photos reduced to \$1 and \$1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam, No. 236 South Main street.

Justice Morrison will not deliver his pinion in the tape-game case before

George Simpson, an ex-marine of the U.S.S. Philadelphia, was fined \$3 yes-terday for "scorching" on Main street Saturday night.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Mrs. Clara Greening, Mrs. F. Martin, F. W. Jones, Mrs. M. Lewis, L. A. Hamilton, Mrs. Anna Larsen and Mrs. L. Lee.

Hamilton, Mrs. Anna Larsen and Mrs. L. Lee.
C. J. Richardson had a difficulty with a hack driver on First street between 12 and 1 o'clock this morning and was knocked down by the Jehu. Richardson had a cut over his eye sewed up in the Receiving Hospital.
L. Urick was held in \$500 bond yesterday by Justice Morrison for assault with a deadly weapon. Urick wielded a piece of cast-iron pipe with almost fatal effect during a row in the oil fields. A man named Wucherer was the victim of the assault.
The petty larceny complaint against M. V. Biscailuz, for stealing Maj. Bell's law books, was dismissed yesterday, the books having been recovered. Biscailuz will be tried for drunkenness next Saturday. Meantime he is out of jail on his own recognizance.
The Salvation Army of Southern Calternia will have a camp meeting at The Salvation Army of Southern Cal-

The Salvation Army of Southern California will have a camp meeting at San Diego frem September 4 to September 19 inclusive. A big tent has been hired and pitched on the corner of Third and C streets. Staff Captain and Mrs. Dunham are in command, assisted by many officers of the district. Joseph Belknap, the boy who was struck by an electric car in the southern suburbs a few days ago, died from the effects of his injuries Sunday evening. Coroner Campbell made an investigation but decided that an inquest was not necessary. The remains were shipped to Santa Barbara by Kregelo & Bresse yesterday afternoon.

### PERSONALS.

C. L. Loud of Pomona is in the city. E. B. Johnson of Flagstaff is registered at the Nadeau.

J. H. Fisher of Redlands is registered at the Van Nuys.
Dr. Rendon and wife of Merida, Mex., are guests at the Nadeau.
William Gibson of Phoenix, Ariz., is registered at the Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Chipman of Coldwater, Mich., are in the city.

Miss Josephine Williams has returned from her outing at Redondo.

Mrs. McGillivray, of Riverside, is spending a few days in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wolff of Houston, Tex., are guests at the Hollenbeck. Dr. and Mrs. William R. Jones left yesterday for Laguna Beach, Orange county.

Mr .and Mrs. C. R. Hurd and daugher of Denver, Colo., are visiting in

E. von Abereron and Barons G. and A. von Schreder of Hamburg, Ger-many, are guests at the Van Nuys. Mrs. Louis Alexander, née Lehman of San Francisco, is visiting Mrs. M. Lehman at No. 946 South Broadway Fred C. Howes, teller in the Los Angeles National Bank, returned yesterday after a five weeks' visit at St. Paul, Min., his old home.

Paul, Min., his old home.

An informal dancing party will be given at Woods's Hall on Friday evening under the management of Fred W. Shoemaker and H. W. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Duthie of Portland, Ore., are spending their honeymoon with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Henion, South Moline avenue, Pasadena, and visited friends in this city yesterday. They will return to their home today.

### B. Duncan, His Suit.

In the Federal Court yesterday, the demurrer to the complaint, in the case of B. Duncan against the Associated Press for alleged libel, was overruled, and the defendant was allowed twenty days in which to answer.

### "WORKED" THE POLICE.

How a Deaf Mute Secured Her Railroad Transportation.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

DENVER (Colo.,) Aug. 30.-Detective Sam Howe said today that Annie Brockfield, the deaf mute who applied to the police at Sacramento, Cal., last week, for assistance, is Miss Helena Fink, who was in Denver April 23 last. At that time Miss Fink complained to Chief of Police Russell that while on the way from New York to Los Angeles, Cal., to bury her dead mother she had been robbed of her purse and all her belongings at Columbus, O., and was making her was westward as best was making her was westward as best she could. Chief Russel took pity on she could. Chief Russel took pity on the afflicted young woman, and secured her a railroad ticket to Salt Lake City, her a railroad ticket to Salt Lake City, and letters of recommendation to the Southern Pacific officials at that city. On the day following the deaf mute's departure from Denver it was discovered that on March 5 she had told the Columbus, O., police that while en route to that city from Colorado Springs to bury her dead mother she had been robbed of all her possessions at St. Louis, Mo. The Columbus police took pity on her and furnished her with the means to reach her supposed home in Colorado.

### HARRITY BOUNCED.

Pennsylvania State Democratic Committee Declares His Seat Vacant.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
READING (Pa.,) Aug. 30.—By a vote of 53 to 26 the State Democratic Com-mittee adopted a resolution declaring vacant the seat of W. F. Harrity in the Democratic National Committee from Pennsylvania. The committee met in the rooms of the Americus Club by direction of the Executive Committee to consider the vacancy in the National Committee. The proceedings were ex-citing from start to finish, and at one stage a policeman was called upon by State Chairman Garman to eject Tim-othy O'Leary of Pittsburgh for inter-rupting the speakers.

ADGIE AND HER LIONS AT REDONDO

All this week. Every day Adgie will give her marvelous performance free to the pat-rons of the Santa Fé. The lions are fed at 3:30 p.m. Santa Fé trains go at 9:45 a.m., 1 p.m.; 5:40 p.m. Extra trains Saturday and Sunday at 8:37 a.m., 11:03 a.m. and 6:15

WATERMELON DAY.

### OFFICIAL PATRONAGE.

FORTHTOMING CHANGES IN ARMY

Adjutant-Generalship Becomes Va Bureaus-Dr. Bates for Medical Director.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says President McKinley has some impor tant army and navy patronage to dis-tribute before he returns to Washington. The Adjutant-Generalship of the army will become vacant by the re-tirement of Gen. Ruggles, September 11. It is settled that Col. Breck will

succeed him. His term of office, how-

ever, will be short, as he will reach the retirement age on February 25, 1898. Col. Henry C. Corbin, adjutant-gen-Col. Henry C. Corbin, adjutant-gen-eral for the Department of the East, now at Governor's Island, is next in rank. A hard fight is being made by Col. Sheridan, brother of the late Gen. Sheridan. Col. Sheridan is two years older than Col. Corbin. Col. Martin Barber, adjutant-general of the Department of the Missouri, will, is it under-stood, be ordered to Governor's Island. Col. Sheridan, now at St. Paul, will succeed Col. Barber at Chicago, and Col. Schwan, adjutnat-general of the Department of the Platte, will go to St.

The official announcement will be

The official announcement will be made this week of the appointment of three officers for the naval service as chiefs of bureaus.

Commander R. B. Bradford will succeed Commander F. E. Chadwick as chief of the Bureau of Equipment, Medical Director N. L. Bates will succeed Medical Director J. R. Tryon as chief of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery. Chief Naval Constructor Phillip Hichborn will succeed himself. The appointment of Medical Director Bates will be in the nature of a personal act upon the part of the Pressident. Dr. Bates has rendered medical service for the McKinley family. Friends of Medical Director Tryon are considerably worked up over the prospective of t considerably worked up over the prospective action.

### Maud Meditates Murder.

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CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Maud Maynard
Noel, a young Chicago woman, herself
beautiful and in perfect health, has
begun a campaign which has for its
aim the slaughter of all the weak,
whether physically or mentally incapable. She would relentlessly kill
them, by a painless death, if possible,
and holds that the end would justify
the means, for it would benefit the
human race.

No Lynching at Belgrade. ST. CLOUD (Minn..) Aug. 30.—The story sent out from Belgrade, Minn., today of a lynching is without foundation. County Attorney Sullivan was so notified by wire tonight.

### Licensed to Wed.

W. S. Gallet, aged 31, and Jessie B. Brenchand, aged 23, both natives of Illinois and residents of Los Angeles. George W. Nast, aged 45, native Missouri, and Gracie Stokes, aged 23, native of California, both residents of Calabasas.

Menton B. Evans, aged 23, native of

Mienton B. Evans, aged 23, native of California, resident of San Bernardino, and Jennie Stokes, aged 18, native of California, resident of Calabasas.
Thomas J. Trull, aged 51, native of Maine, resident of Butte, Mont., and Annie J. Baker, aged 29, native of Rhode Island, resident of Sierra Madre. Charles E. Smith, aged 29, native of Iowa resident of Ayusa, and Clara of Iowa resident of Ayusa, and Clara of Iowa, resident of Azusa, and Clara M. German, aged 29, native of Iowa, resi-German, ageu 25, hadre of the dent of Pasadena.

Marion E. Wise, aged 22, native of Oregon, and Minnie Masterson, aged 22, native of Pennsylvania, both residents

native of Pennsylvania, both residents of Lordsburg.

Damiana Nordone, aged 27, and Stella S. Santo, aged 15, both natives of Italy, and residents of Los Angeles. By consent of parents of Stella S. Santo.

HARRISON—At University, Cal., Mrs. Kate Harrison, August 29, 1897, aged 64. Funeral from her late residence today. Tuesday, August 31, at 2 p.m. Interment Rosedaie Cemetery.

Hints of the special lots follow:

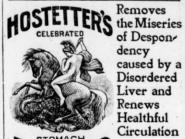
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Monetary Crisis.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—A dispatch the Herald from Lima, Peru, says El Comercio announces editorially that the financial measures recently submitted to and now pending in the Peruvian Congress will, without doubt lead to the adoption of the gold standard in Peru. This result, El Comercio further says, will not be brought about without a monetary crisis, more or less

intense. The gold standard, in the opinio The gold standard, in the opinion of the paper, was the only remedy for Peru's present financial straits, and such a change would be productive of permanent good. In the meantime business in Peru is practically at a standstill, and the markets are almost in a state of panic.

The visitor to the greatest sale today will be met by specials from the City of Paris stocks such as are beyond comparison with any bargains in their lines ever offered. Read each special item -that will back up every claim of quality. Prices talk now-a-days.

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Special in Dress Goods, About a dozen different lines of Black and Colored Dress Goods, which sold at from 45 to 75c a yard, are offered today at a uniform price. There are black brocaded brilliantines, black wool brocades, colored checks, 23° all-wool serges, check broches, mixtures, etc.; choice at .....

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dies, Lace and Leno Lawns, Lattice Stripes, etc., in light and dark grounds, goods which have all the season sold at 10c, 12 ½c and 15c a yard; choice today, dies, Lace and Leno Lawns, Lattice 15c a yard; choice today, the yard .....

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